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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

ROBERT A. LOW	Term Expires March 1978
CHARLES B. JOHNSON	Term Expires March 1979
KEITH W. LIDBACK	Term Expires March 1980

Town Clerk

EDYTHE F. SCHWAB

Town Treasurer

CONSTANCE R. LINNELL

Tax Collector

HELEN A. SHERMAN

Selectmen's Secretary

MARION J. KNOX

Zoning and Planning Board

EDWARD D. HAUSE, resigned	Term Expires March 1978
RICHARD D. RECKARD, appointed	Term Expires March 1978
PHYLLIS L. REESE	Term Expires March 1979
WALTER W. CRANDALL, appointed	Term Expires March 1979
GARDNER W. MILLS, appointed	Term Expires March 1979
LAWRENCE TASKER, SR., resigned	Term Expires March 1979

Board of Adjustment

GLADYS GARDNER	Term Expires March 1978
MARK SEAVER	Term Expires March 1979
JOSEPH A. KNOX	Term Expires March 1979
JOSEPH BEAULIEU	Term Expires March 1980
ROBERT THOMAS	Term Expires March 1980

Auditors

ELEANOR T. PINKHAM

ARLENE W. JOHNSON

Moderator

ROBERT JOHNSON

Supervisors of Checklist

HELEN B. JOHNSON	Term Expires March 1978
VERONICA A. POST	Term Expires Nov. 1980
ARLENE BASSETT	Term Expires Nov. 1982

Road Agent

J. PERRY RICHARDSON

Trustees of Trust Funds

GEORGE V. LINSCOTT	Term Expires March 1978
HERBERT SHERMAN	Term Expires March 1979
WILLIAM MCGOWEN	Term Expires March 1980

Library Trustees

ALFRED D. MIHACHIK	Term Expires March 1978
VIRGINIA SLY	Term Expires March 1979
THERESA HERRON	Term Expires March 1980

Cemetery Trustees

LAWRENCE S. ELLIOTT	Term Expires March 1978
DONALD POST	Term Expires March 1979
WILLIAM MCGOWEN	Term Expires March 1980

Budget Committee

ANDREW J. LANE	Term Expires March 1978
J. PERRY RICHARDSON	Term Expires March 1978
VINCENT BANE	Term Expires March 1978
ROLAND B. THOMAS	Term Expires March 1978
DUDLEY MERRILL	Term Expires March 1979
ROBERT E. BAILEY	Term Expires March 1979
CARROLL BASSETT	Term Expires March 1979
DONALD POST	Term Expires March 1979
HAROLD LESTER	Term Expires March 1980
HERBERT SHERMAN	Term Expires March 1980
WALTER PINKHAM	Term Expires March 1980
SAMUEL JOHNSON, JR.	Term Expires March 1980

Northwood Highway Advisory Committee

ROBERT E. BAILEY	J. PERRY RICHARDSON
MURRAY D. TASKER	ANDREW J. LANE

ROBERT GRANT

Town Historian

JOANN W. BAILEY

Conservation Commission

CLARENCE AHLGREN	Term Expires March 1978
EDWARD HAUSE, member from Planning Board, resigned	Term Expires March 1978
RICHARD D. RECKARD, member from Planning Board	Term Expires March 1978
ELLIS RING	Term Expires March 1979
NATHALIE WALL	Term Expires March 1979
CHARLES FRARY	Term Expires March 1979
VERONICA A. POST	Term Expires March 1980
JOANN W. BAILEY	Term Expires March 1980

Parks and Playgrounds

STEPHEN JOHNSTON	Term Expires March 1978
ROBERT D. POLLARD	Term Expires March 1978
VINCENT BANE	Term Expires March 1979
CHARLES BAILEY	Term Expires March 1980
BRUCE YOUNG	Term Expires March 1980

Police Department

GERALD LaFRENIERE, Chief	
J. RONALD TASKER	
CHARLES RICHARDSON	Appt. Expires March 1978
ROSS ALLEN	Appt. Expires March 1978
WARREN E. BRYANT, JR.	Appt. Expires March 1978
JUDY TASKER, Matron	Appt. Expires March 1978
ROBERTA LaFRENIERE, Matron	Appt. Expires March 1978
HERBERT RICH, Special, School & Dog Officer	Appt. Expires March 1978
DONALD WHITNEY, Special (deceased)	Appt. Expires March 1978

Special Police

ROBERT A. LOW, Selectman	REVILLO STROUT, Disposal
CHARLES B. JOHNSON, Selectman	ROBERT D. POLLARD, Beach
KEITH W. LIDBACK, Selectman	WM. EARNSHAW, JR., Beach
ELLIS RING, Lake Shore Farm	FREDERICK WOLFF, Beach

Highway Safety Committee

ROBERT A. LOW, Chairman	ERIC SWANFELDT
CHARLES B. JOHNSON	THOMAS MADSON
KEITH W. LIDBACK	ALFRED D. MIHACHIK
GERALD LaFRENIERE	PAUL COLBY
DONALD BASSETT	J. PERRY RICHARDSON

HOWARD M. DEWEY

Fire Department

DONALD BASSETT, Chief

Fire Warden

CARROLL BASSETT

SUMMARY OF ACTION TAKEN ON ARTICLES IN

1977 TOWN WARRANT

The 1977 Town Meeting was opened by Moderator Robert Johnson at 10 A.M. on Saturday, March 12, 1977. The meeting was held at Coe-Brown Northwood Academy.

1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150,000. for an incinerator, or another method of refuse disposal, together with the necessary building and associated equipment and authorize the issuance of notes upon the credit of the Town for all of the sum so raised and appropriated. The note term to be five years, with annual payments of $30,000. plus interest.

Harold Lester amended the Article to read "To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $80,000 dollars for the purpose of producing a solid waste disposal program, $2,000. to be used together with the Towns of Stratham, Greenland, Newfields, Newmarket, Newington, Madbury, Lee, Durham, Barrington and University of New Hampshire for a feasability study, $3,000. to be used to equip a recycling program and the remaining $75,000. to be placed in a savings account until a final method of disposal is approved by the Town of Northwood.

A hand vote on the amendment gave 156 in favor; 0 not in favor. Amended Article passed.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

A motion was made and seconded that the sum of $86,615.00 be raised and appropriated. Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for interest on same.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,425.00 for the Northwood Public Libraries.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,400.00 for Recreation, Parks and Playgrounds.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $850.00 for the care of Cemeteries.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

7. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Highways.

Motion made and seconded to raise the sum of $58,500.00; $30,000.00 for summer maintenance, $25,000.00 for winter maintenance and $3,500.00 for general expenses of Highway Department. Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

8. To see if the Town will vote to reclassify that section of Bow Street between the residence of Mrs. Dorothy Pease and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reckard, from a Class 6 highway to a Class 5 highway. (By Petition)

Article adopted by hand vote: Yes - 90 No - 0.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 for the repair of that section of Bow Street between the residence of Mrs. Dorothy Pease and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Reckard, that sum to be spent on the relocation of the road within the right-of-way, including drainage and the reconstruction of the bridge within that distance. (By Petition)

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

10. To see if the Town will vote to accept the gravel road leading from the Northerly side of Route 202 to the land of Mrs. Helen Pierce (Priest). The road has been built according to town regulations. It is 50' wide and properly guttered and needs no work done to it at the present time. (By Petition)

Motion made by Eleanor Pinkham to indefinitely postpone this Article was defeated by hand vote: Yes - 4 No - 70. Article was passed as written by affirmative voice vote.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,300.00 for the purpose of Street Lighting.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $670.45 for the purpose of Town Road Aid, the State's share to be $4,469.65.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $648.00 for the Concord Hospital.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,250.00 for Ambulance Service, to be paid to the Center Barnstead Fire Department.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,490.75 for the Town's per capita share of the Rural District Health Council.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the purpose of increasing the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve Fund.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

17. To see if the Town will vote to establish a home separation program wherein glass, cans, newsprint, cardboard, metal and other refuse will be deposited in separate containers at the Town Disposal Area.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

18. To see if the Town will vote to transfer $1,000.00 from the revenue of the Municipal Court to a Capital Reserve Fund for replacement of Highway Safety Equipment.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 for maintenance of the Town Dump.

A motion to amend the sum of money to $6,000.00 was defeated by a vote of Yes - 23 No - 59. A motion to amend the sum of money to $8,000.00 was passed by a vote of Yes - 60 No - 25. Amended Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 to purchase a Police Radar Unit, the State to contribute the sum of $1,000.00 from their Crime Prevention Program. (Submitted without recommendation of the Budget Committee.)

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,900.00 for the Northwood Rescue Squad.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for pick-up appraisals by the State of New Hampshire.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to pay the salary and expense of the Supervisor of the Summer Program for Economically Disadvantaged Youths (S.P.E.D.Y.).

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

24. To see if the Town will vote to receive and spend up to $4,000.00 from Rockingham-Strafford Manpower Administration for the S.P.E.D.Y. Program.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the continuing treatment of the Berry Elm for Dutch Elm Disease and perform any necessary tree surgery.

Article adopted by a hand vote of Yes - 58 No - 44.

26. To see if the Town will vote to join the Strafford Regional Planning Commission and raise and appropriate the sum of $1,818.00 for dues.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

27. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the purpose of supporting the Seacoast Regional Counseling Center.

Article adopted by a hand vote: Yes - 56 No - 22.

28. To see if the Town will vote to spend the remainder of the appropriated monies of the Northwood American Revolutionary Bicentennial Committee and other unspent funds of the Committee (totaling $152.67) to plant additional maple trees on the Town Parade, selection and planting to be under the supervision of the County Forester.

Article was amended by Donald Post to read "... maple or other variety of trees as recommended by the County Forester", and Marion Knox added "... if additional funds should be needed, that they come from the 1973 Northwood Bicentennial Trust Fund income". Twice amended article was adopted by affirmative voice vote. Walter Fiander presented Robert A. Low with the unexpended funds of the Northwood American Revolutionary Bicentennial Committee.

29. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund for projects of the Northwood Conservation Commission, and raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 to initiate this fund.

Ellis Ring moved to indefinitely postpone this article as the Conservation Commission does not want to establish the fund at this time. Article postponed by voice vote.

30. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Northwood Conservation Fund under the provisions of R.S.A. 36-A, as amended, to receive monies given to the Town for conservation purposes and the residues of each succeeding year's Conservation Commission budgetary allowances as provided therein, or take any other action relative thereto.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

31. To see if the Town will vote to allow the Selectmen to appoint an individual to the position of Working Public Works Supervisor on a part-time basis as work demands necessitate. (By Petition)

Robert Bailey moved that this article be indefinitely postponed. Article postponed by voice vote.

32. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to make tests for sewage pollution in the lakes and ponds of Northwood and make corrective recommendations to the State Water Pollution Board. (By Petition)

Article postponed indefinitely by voice vote.

33. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $4,993.12 for the Preservation of Town Records including a Reader-Printer, and authorize the withdrawal of $4,993.12 for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

34. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $1,654.00 for a copier and authorize the withdrawal of $1,654.00 for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

35. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate $12,000.00 for an addition to the Ridge Fire House and authorize the withdrawal of $12,000.00 for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

36. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property of the Town acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds as a result of Tax Sale.

Article adopted by affirmative voice vote.

37. To transact any other business that legally may come before said meeting.

Because people had trouble hearing, it was requested that the public address system be put in proper working order prior to next year's Town Meeting.

There being no other business the meeting was adjourned as of 3:30 P.M.

The State of New Hampshire

The Polls will be open from 10 A.M. to 7 P.M.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Northwood in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Northwood on Tuesday the 14th day of March 1978, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. Shall we adopt the new provisions of RSA 72:43-c relative to expanded exemptions on real estate for the elderly, changing the eligibility requirement that a person may own no more than $35,000 in assets of any kind to a requirement that a person may own no more than $50,000 in assets of any kind?

3. Shall we adopt the new provisions of RSA 72:43-B relative to expanded exemption on real estate for the elderly, changing the basis of the exemption from the equalized assessed value to the actual assessed valuation?

4. Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 72:66 for a property tax exemption on real property equipped with a Wind Powered Energy system which exemption shall be in an amount not to exceed 75% of the cost of installing the system?

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-eight.

ROBERT A. LOW
CHARLES B. JOHNSON
KEITH W. LIDBACK

Selectmen
of
Northwood, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

ROBERT A. LOW
CHARLES B. JOHNSON
KEITH W. LIDBACK

Selectmen
of
Northwood, N.H.

TOWN WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Northwood in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Coe-Brown Northwood Academy in said Northwood on Saturday the 18th day of March next at ten of the clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100,000.00 for an incinerator, or another method of solid waste disposal, together with the necessary building and associated equipment and authorize the issuance of notes upon the credit of the Town for all of the sum so raised and appropriated. The note term to be fifteen (15) years, with annual payments of $7,541.00 plus interest.

2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of Selectmen to enter into the agreement attached to the end of this Warrant entitled, "Agreement for Formation of Lamprey Regional Solid Waste Cooperative" for the purpose of disposing of the solid waste generated by the cooperating towns and for the recovery of energy in the most economical and efficient manner. The agreement set forth herein is intended to provide, under state statute, for the joining of towns in a cooperative effort for the disposal of solid waste in a manner that will meet Federal and State requirements.

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $22,835.00 as its 1978 share of the capital costs with interest for the construction of an incinerator and energy recovery facilities as set forth in Article 2, and to take such other actions as may be necessary as shall be in the best interest of all members of the Cooperative, and to allow the Selectmen to accept Federal or State and other grants that may be available to the Town in providing its share in the project.

4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray Town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes and vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for interest on same.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,550.00 for the Northwood Public Libraries.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,700.00 for Parks and Playgrounds.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,885.00 for the care of Cemeteries.

9. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for Town Highways.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $4,800.00 for the purpose of Street Lighting.

11. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $4,563.83 for the purpose of Town Road Aid, the State's share to be $3,968.55 and the Town's share to be $595.28.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $541.00 for the Concord Hospital.

13. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,714.00 for Ambulance Service, to be paid to the Center Barnstead Fire Department.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,785.50 for the Town's per capita share of the Rural District Health Council.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 for the purpose of increasing the Highway Equipment Capital Reserve.

16. To see if the Town will vote to transfer $1,500.00 from the revenue of the Municipal Court to the Highway Safety Equipment Capital Reserve Fund.

17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $18,000.00 for the maintenance of the Town Dump.

18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,665.00 for the Northwood Rescue Squad.

19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for pick-up appraisals by the State of New Hampshire.

20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to pay the salary and expense of the Supervisor of the Summer Program for Economically Disadvantaged Youths (S.P.E.D.Y.).

21. To see if the Town will vote to receive and spend up to $6,000.00 from Rockingham-Strafford Manpower Administration for the S.P.E.D.Y. Program.

22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $22,000.00 to be used in conjunction with the Town Road Aid Funds raised and appropriated in Article 11 to reconstruct that part of the Ridge Road between the residence of David White and Gerald Poling.

23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $700.00 for Planning Board expenses.

24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $375.00 for Northwood Conservation Commission expenses.

25. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Northwood Conservation Commission to retain the unexpended portion of its 1977 appropriation ($240.)

said funds to be placed in a special Northwood Conservation Fund in accordance with RSA 36-A:5.

26. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for addition to the special Northwood Conservation Fund in accordance with the RSA 36-A:5.

27. To see if the Town will vote to remove the so-called Deslaurier Lot on Saddleback Mountain, of 31.2 acres, more or less, bounded and described as follows: southerly by the Town of Deerfield line, easterly by land now or formerly of E. Davis, Northerly by land now or formerly of Inland Acres, Inc., and westerly by land now or formerly of R. C. Batchelder, now on the Selectmen's list of Town-owned lands to be sold for taxes, so that it no longer shall be upon said list, but to be held for Town purposes, including recreation, wildlife, conservation and timber-growing purposes, still under control of the Board of Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

28. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Town Administration Study Committee composed of seven (7) members, one to be selected by the Moderator, one by the Selectmen, one by the Budget Committee, one by the School Committee, one by the Planning Board, one by the Conservation Commission and one by the Variance Board, all to be selected by April 1, 1978, to elect their own chairman and secretary from among themselves, to determine whether the Town should utilize an administrator assistant or a shared administrator assistant, recommend any other changes in the existing Town organization they determine of benefit to the Town, hold hearings and information meetings or combinations thereof to inform the voters on these subjects, and render a written report with their recommendations to the Selectmen by October 1, 1978 who shall in turn prepare any recommended Article for the 1979 Warrant, or take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

29. To see if the Town will vote to limit the pay of the Selectmen to one thousand dollars ($1,000.00) annually and limit the pay of the Chairman of the Board to fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500.00) annually, or take any other action relative thereto. (By Petition)

30. To see if the Town will vote to reclassify that portion of the Old Deerfield Road, approximately 1000 feet, between the present end of its Class Five (5) and the driveway to the permanent residence of Leo W. and Doris M. Dagenais, from Class Six (6) to Class Five(5). (By Petition)

31. To see if the Town will vote to improve that section of Old Deerfield Road (approximately 1000 feet) between the present end of its Class Five(5) and the driveway leading to the permanent residence of Leo W. and Doris M. Dagenais. Said improvements requiring repairs to old drainage ditching and some gravel on road surface and one culvert. (By Petition)

32. To see if the Town will vote to reclassify from Class Six (6) to Class Five (5) that portion of Upper Deerfield Road between the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mello and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grondin. (By Petition)

33. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the repair of that section of Upper Deerfield Road between the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mello and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grondin. (By Petition)

34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,000.00 to support the Family Center and Children's Village. (By Petition)

35. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $7,500.00 for the purpose of modifying the Town Hall to satisfy fire and insurance regulations as well as provide office space for town officers, and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

36. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $4,500.00 for the purpose of constructing a parking lot at the Elementary School and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

37. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,500.00 for the purpose of installing acoustical tile in the Elementary School gymnasium and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

38. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $4,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing communications equipment for the Northwood Fire Department, and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

39. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $2,000.00 for the purpose of installing new storm windows and insulation at the Northwood Narrows and East Northwood Fire Houses, and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

40. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate the sum of $500.00 for the purpose of purchasing communications equipment for the Northwood Rescue Squad, and authorize the withdrawal of the amount required for this purpose from the Revenue Sharing Fund established under the provisions of the State and Local Assistance Act of 1972.

41. We petition the Town of Northwood to continue maintaining the roads involved in said area, better known as Cole's development. In the definition of maintaining roads, let it be brought to the attention of the Road Maintenance Department, that summer grading and hole filling etc., can and will be accomplished by the signers of this petition. The main object is snow plowing and when necessary sanding, which must be brought to your attention, that in spite of a rough winter, sanding was only necessary twice. I, for one would not have put my life's savings, to

make a home here if I had not been led to believe that I would be plowed. I, and I am sure all of the people involved, believe that getting no other service for our taxes, should at least get plowed. The irony of this situation is that a percentage of our tax money is allotted to fire department and police department, etc., how, if ever the need arises, can we receive any help from services if they cannot get into the area. We believe that three miles of snow plowing is a good investment by the town. (By Petition)

42. To see if the Town will vote to require the Selectmen to establish a policy of publicly advertising in at least two (2) local newspapers, and obtaining a minimum of three (3) bids in writing, for all services, materials, and equipment needed by the Town which cost in excess of $200.00. Also, to establish a policy that local businesses providing such services, materials, and equipment be directly notified and to have first consideration. (By Petition)

43. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell the town sander and loader to the highest bidder.

44. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property of the Town acquired by Tax Collector's Deeds as a result of Tax Sale.

45. To see if the Town will vote to recess the Town Meeting to reconvene at the call of the Selectmen for the purpose of taking whatever action is necessary or indicated by the Rockingham County Solid Waste Study to enable the Town to meet its solid waste disposal needs in conformity with existing laws and regulations.

46. To transact any other business that legally may come before said meeting.

If the above articles have not been completely acted upon by 5 P.M. on March 18, 1978, the meeting will be adjourned to 10 A.M. on March 25, 1978.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and seventy-eight.

ROBERT A. LOW
CHARLES B. JOHNSON
KEITH W. LIDBACK

Selectmen
of
Northwood, N.H.

A true copy of Warrant -- Attest:

ROBERT A. LOW
CHARLES B. JOHNSON
KEITH W. LIDBACK

Selectmen
of
Northwood, N.H.

The following "Agreement for Formation of Lamprey Regional Solid Waste Cooperative" is the agreement referred to in Article 2.

AGREEMENT FOR FORMATION OF LAMPREY REGIONAL
SOLID WASTE COOPERATIVE

WHEREAS, the municipalities to this Agreement have the duty to provide for the disposal of solid waste generated within their respective territories; and

WHEREAS, the municipalities to this Agreement have determined that it will be a more efficient use of their powers and to their mutual advantage to enter into this Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the municipalities to this Agreement are authorized to enter into said Agreement pursuant to the New Hampshire Intergovernmental Agreements Act, RSA 53-A;

NOW, THEREFORE, the municipalities of Barrington, Durham, Greenland, Lee, Madbury, Newfields, Newington, Newmarket, Northwood, Rollinsford, Strafford and Stratham for and in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements hereinafter stated and the performance therefor, do hereby promise and agree as follows:

ARTICLE I

PURPOSES

The purposes of this Agreement are to provide for the efficient and economic disposal of solid waste generated within the territories of the municipalities joining in this Agreement, to provide for the recovery and sale of energy, and to provide for the recovery and sale of by-products from the disposal of solid waste.

ARTICLE II

ORGANIZATION

The municipalities joining in this Agreement do hereby associate together for the purpose of forming the Lamprey Regional Solid Waste Cooperative to administer and operate a solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility.

ARTICLE III

ADOPTION OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement shall not take effect with respect to the municipalities signing this Agreement unless all of the following occur:

A. The terms of this Agreement conform to the specific requests of the Attorney General, provided that the failure of the Attorney General to approve of this Agreement within thirty days of its submission for review shall constitute approval thereof as provided in RSA 53-A:3V.

B. This Agreement has been filed with the Clerk of each municipality voting to approve it and with the Office of the Secretary of State.

C. The combined capital authorization of the municipalities voting to adopt this Agreement at the 1978 annual meeting amounts to $2,420,000; provided that the vote of each municipality to adopt this Agreement and appropriate a pro-rata share of the initial capital investment shall be deemed to continue until July 1, 1978.

D. In the event the combined capital authorization of the municipalities voting to approve of this Agreement at the 1978 annual meetings does not amount to $2,420,000. this Agreement shall be adopted as follows:

1. The Boards of Selectmen of the municipalities voting to adopt this Agreement and voting to appropriate a pro-rata share of the capital cost of the facility, shall each appoint a director to serve on a provisional board which shall exist until no later than July 1, 1978.

The provisional board shall have the limited authority to

(a) solicit the membership of additional municipalities to the Cooperative;

(b) to determine the pro-rata capital contribution and net operating contribution of new members; and

(c) to assess municipalities a pro-rata share of the legal, administrative, and consulting costs associated with the formation of the Cooperative even though the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility is not constructed.

2. A municipality or municipalities shall be invited to join the Cooperative subject to such terms and conditions as decided by a majority of the provisional board.

3. If this Agreement is approved by a majority vote of the legislative body of the municipality seeking admission to the Cooperative, said municipality shall become a member of the Cooperative subject to all the provisions of this Agreement, any amendments thereto and such further conditions as imposed by the provisional board.

4. As soon as the combined capital authorization of the municipalities approving this Agreement no later than July 1, 1978 amounts to $2,420,000, then an organizational meeting of the directors of the respective municipalities shall be convened and the process of financing the cost of construction and the cost of operation of the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility shall be implemented as provided in Articles VI and VII hereof.

ARTICLE IV

ADMINISTRATION

The powers, duties and responsibilities of the Cooperative shall be vested in and exercised by a joint board. Each municipality joining in this Agreement shall be represented by one director who, in the first instance, shall be appointed by the Board of Selectmen of the respective municipality. Each director shall have one vote.

The terms of office of the directors representing the respective municipalities approving this Agreement shall be fixed as follows:

Phase I. The directors for the towns of Barrington, Durham, Greenland and Lee shall have an initial term of one year. Subsequent directors representing said municipalities shall be appointed by the Boards of Selectmen and shall serve for terms of three years.

Phase II. The directors for the towns of Madbury, Newfields, Newington and Newmarket shall serve an initial term of two years. Subsequent directors representing said municipalities shall be appointed by the Boards of Selectmen and shall serve for terms of three years.

Phase III. The directors for the towns of Northwood, Rollinsford, Strafford and Stratham shall serve an initial term of three years. Subsequent directors representing said municipalities shall be appointed by the Boards of Selectmen and shall serve for terms of three years.

In the event of resignation, incapacity or death of a director, the Board of Selectmen of the municipality so affected shall appoint an interim director to fill the unexpired portion of the vacant office.

Any director may be removed from office by the municipality which he represents for any reason which would justify the removal of a public official under the law of New Hampshire.

Upon the effective date of this Agreement, or as soon thereafter as possible, the directors shall hold an organizational meeting to elect officers, to appoint an operational committee and to appoint such other committees as the joint board shall deem necessary. The joint board shall at its annual meeting, elect officers to serve for a term of one year. The terms of committee members shall be for such periods as fixed by the joint board.

The joint board shall choose a chairman by ballot from its membership. It shall appoint a secretary and treasurer who may be the same person, but who need not be members of the joint board. The treasurer shall receive and take charge of all money belonging to the Cooperative and shall pay any bill of the Cooperative which has been approved by the joint board. In the event the Treasurer is not a member of the joint board he shall serve at the pleasure of the board, otherwise he shall serve for a term of one year. The treasurer may by vote of the joint board be compensated for his services.

The directors shall appoint from their membership an operational committee consisting of three members. This committee shall have the responsi-

bility of making recommendations to the joint board with regard to the ordinary operation and maintenance of the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility.

The joint board shall meet at least bi-monthly. A special meeting of the joint board may be called by the chairman or by any three directors. Unless otherwise provided by this Agreement, all questions decided by the joint board shall be approved by a majority vote of the directors representing all of the municipalities belonging to the Cooperative. A quorum for any meeting of the joint board shall consist of one more than one-half of the directors representing all of the municipalities belonging to the Cooperative.

The joint board may adopt by-laws for the conduct of business as long as said by-laws do not conflict with the terms of this Agreement or the provisions of RSA 53-A.

ARTICLE V

POWERS

The Cooperative shall have the following powers and duties:

I. To sue and be sued, but only to the extent and upon the same conditions that a city or town may be sued.

II. To hold, purchase, convey or lease real or personal property for the lawful purposes of the Cooperative and to plan, construct, equip and operate a solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility for the benefit of the member municipalities and to make any necessary contracts in relation thereto.

III. To receive and disburse funds for any lawful purpose for which the Cooperative was formed.

IV. To assess member municipalities for any expenses incurred for the purposes for which the Cooperative was formed.

V. To create a reserve fund for operation from any surplus remaining on hand at the end of any fiscal year, provided that the amount transferred to said fund shall not in any one year exceed five percent (5%) of the operating budget of the Cooperative for the prior year.

VI. To create a capital reserve fund from any surplus remaining at the end of any fiscal year provided that the amount transferred to said fund shall not exceed one percent (1%) of the last year assessed valuation of the municipalities belonging to the Cooperative.

VII. To engage legal counsel.

VIII. To submit an annual report to each of the member municipalities containing a detailed financial statement and a statement showing a method by which the annual charges assessed against each municipality were computed.

IX. To engage employees and consultants to operate the Cooperative.

X. To enter into contracts for solid waste disposal with persons, corporations, non-member municipalities and any other lawful political entities.

XI. To engage in any lawful act or activity for which a "legal or administrative entity" as defined by RSA 53-A:3(II) (b) may be organized and to do any and all of the acts herein set forth or implied and such other acts as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects and purposes of the Cooperative.

ARTICLE VI

CAPITAL COST

A. The capital cost for the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility, including equipment, construction, engineering and startup expense, has been estimated at $2,420,000 which includes a ten percent (10%) overrun allowance.

B. The solid waste generated by the municipalities listed in this paragraph for the year 1977 has been estimated by the consulting firm of Camp, Dresser and McKee, Inc. and set out on page 9 of a certain Final Report entitled "Feasibility Study of Regional Solid Waste Incineration Plant for Durham, New Hampshire (Lamprey River) Region, dated December 27, 1977. Said estimates are hereby ratified and affirmed by the municipalities executing this Agreement. Based upon said estimates the capital cost of the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility, including a ten percent (10%) overrun allowance shall be apportioned as follows:

Municipality	Pro-Rata Share	Capital Cost Including 10% Allowance for Overrun
Barrington	14.54%	$ 351,868
Durham	22.33%	540,386
Greenland	7.28%	176,176
Lee	6.75%	163,350
Madbury	2.86%	69,212
Newfields	3.12%	75,504
Newington	12.98%	314,116
Newmarket	14.03%	339,526
Northwood	8.57%	207,394
Rollinsford *	5.97%	144,474
Strafford *	3.12%	75,504
Stratham	7.54%	182,468

* The pro-rata capital contributions of the municipalities of Strafford and Rollinsford have been determined as follows:

The solid waste generated by Strafford and Rollinsford in the year 1977 has been estimated by employing the same method used by Camp, Dresser and McKee, Inc. to estimate the solid waste generated by the municipalities listed on page 9 of said Final Report. The resulting estimates were divided by the total estimate for the municipalities listed on page 9 of said Final Report

(385 tons per week). These percentages were multiplied by the figure of $2,420,000 to arrive at the respective pro-rata capital contribution of Strafford and Rollinsford.

C. In the event the Cooperative is established by the process contained in Article III, Paragraph D, the capital cost for the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility, including equipment, construction, engineering and startup expense, plus ten percent (10%) allowance for overrun shall be apportioned as follows:

For those municipalities approving this Agreement at the 1978 annual meeting, the joint board shall determine the solid waste generated by said municipalities in 1977 by using the Camp, Dresser and McKee, Inc. figures set out on page 9 of said Final Report. For those municipalities adopting this Agreement between the 1978 annual meeting and July 1, 1978, the joint board shall determine the solid waste generated by said municipalities for the year 1977 by employing the same method of estimation used by Camp, Dresser and McKee, Inc. in said Final Report.

The resulting figures shall be divided by the total figure for all the municipalities approving this Agreement. The estimated percent of solid waste generated by each municipality shall be multiplied by the figure of $2,420,000. The resulting figures shall be the capital contribution of each municipality for the initial year.

In the event the solid waste generated by any municipality in the first full year of operation exceeds or is less than the amount estimated by either Camp, Dresser and McKee, Inc. or the joint board for the year 1977, there shall be no reapportionment of the capital contribution of any municipality made during the first year of operation of the facility.

ARTICLE VII

COST OF OPERATION

A. The term "net cost of operation" or "net operating cost" shall mean all costs and expenses of the Cooperative relating to the operation and maintenance of the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility, including without limitation, all costs of accepting, processing, storing and disposing of waste, labor, utilities and all costs associated with spare parts, equipment, insurance, maintenance of equipment and facilities, cleaning services, general outside accounting service, consulting services and legal services, and all costs and expenses relating to the payment of any bond or indebtedness, including principal, interest and bonding charges, whether incurred by one municipality or two or more municipalities for the benefit of the Cooperative, minus any revenues received by the Cooperative in exchange for the sale of energy or from the sale of by-products recovered from the processing of said waste.

Provided, further, that the costs incurred by the individual municipalities for transporting solid waste to the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility shall not be considered in determining the net operating cost.

B. The net cost of operating said facility for the first year shall be apportioned as follows:

Municipality	Pro-Rata Share
Barrington	14.54%
Durham	22.33%
Greenland	7.28%
Lee	6.75%
Madbury	2.86%
Newfields	3.21%
Newington	12.98%
Newmarket	14.03%
Northwood	8.57%
Rollinsford	5.97% *
Strafford	3.12% *
Stratham	7.54%

*The pro-rata contribution of the municipalities of Strafford and Rollinsford to be "net cost of operation" of the Cooperative for the first year has been determined as follows:

The solid waste generated by Strafford and Rollinsford in the year 1977 has been estimated by employing the same method used by Camp, Dresser and McKee, Inc. to estimate the solid waste generated by the municipalities listed on page 9 of said Final Report. The resulting estimates were divided by the total estimate for the municipalities listed on page 9 of said Final Report (385 tons per week). These percentages shall be the pro-rata contributions of the municipalities of Strafford and Rollinsford toward the net operating cost of the facility for the first year of operation.

C. The net cost of operating the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility during the following years shall be computed as follows:

The joint board shall determine the solid waste actually processed for each municipality in the preceding year from records maintained at the facility. The resulting figures shall be divided by the whole figure of solid waste generated by all the municipalities. This percent of solid waste generated by each municipality shall be multiplied by an estimate of the net cost of operation for the next year as determined by the joint board.

The resulting figures shall be the mandatory annual operational fee for each municipality.

D. The success of the Cooperative is premised upon the assumption that each municipality shall process a minimum percentage of the total solid waste processed at the facility each year. The failure of the Cooperative to receive a guaranteed percentage from each municipality during the term of this contract will result in a loss of revenue from the sale of energy and by-products and will produce a corresponding increase in the cost of operating the facility. Accordingly, after the second full year of membership in the Cooperative, each municipality approving this Agreement guarantees to process annually a minimum percentage of the entire solid waste processed at the facility which percentage shall equal the average of the percentages processed by it during the first and second years of membership.

In the event a municipality fails to process its guaranteed percentage of the total amount of solid waste processed at the facility, the joint board shall, nevertheless, assess said municipality its mandatory pro-rata operational fee based upon said guaranteed percentage.

Furthermore, the joint board shall be permitted to assign that portion of the guaranteed percentage which any municipality fails to meet, to a member of the Cooperative or to a non-member municipality upon such terms and conditions as the joint board deems advisable. Any solid waste collected and processed pursuant to such an assignment shall not be credited to the municipality which fails to meet its guaranteed percentage.

E. Each member of the Cooperative shall be guaranteed that during the term of this Agreement it shall be permitted to process a certain percentage of the total solid waste processed at the facility in any one year, which percentage shall at least be equal to the average of the percentage processed by it during the first and second years of membership in the Cooperative.

F. Notwithstanding any provisions in this Agreement, the Cooperative may, by a two-thirds majority vote of the joint board, decide to adjust the relative pro-rata shares of the members in regard to initial capitalization, net operating fees and guaranteed percentages.

ARTICLE VIII

OPERATING AGREEMENT

It is anticipated that the Cooperative may enter into an operating agreement with the University of New Hampshire for the operation and maintenance of the solid waste disposal and energy recovery facility. Each municipality joining the Cooperative agrees that it will be bound by the terms and provisions of the operating agreement relating to, but not necessarily limited to, such subjects as vehicular regulations, liability for processing of hazardous waste, hours of operation and health and safety regulations.

ARTICLE IX

PREPARATION OF ANNUAL BUDGET

Each year the joint board shall determine the amounts necessary to be raised to maintain and operate the Cooperative during the next calendar year and the amounts required for payment of debt and interest incurred by the Cooperative that will be due in the next calendar year. The joint board shall prepare a budget and make a preliminary apportionment of the amount so determined among the member municipalities in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Prior to December 31st the joint board shall hold at least one public hearing at some convenient place in the Cooperative on the amounts required in the budget and the preliminary apportionment of the amounts listed in the budget. At least seven days notice of the meeting shall be given by publication of the budget and apportionment in a newspaper or newspapers of general circulation within the Cooperative and by posting a copy of the budget and apportionment in a public place in each municipality in the Cooperative.

After the hearing the joint board shall adopt a budget and make a final determination of the apportionment among the member municipalities. After the joint board has adopted the budget and determined the apportionment of the expenses, the Cooperative treasurer shall certify to the Boards of Selectmen of the member municipalities in the Cooperative the amount of money assessed each municipality. The selectmen of each municipality shall seasonably assess the taxes to be raised to pay the apportionments. The municipality treasurer shall pay to the Cooperative the amount so apportioned in quarterly installments each year.

The joint board shall cause a certified public accountant licensed to practice in either the State of New Hampshire or the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to conduct an annual audit of the accounts and records of the Cooperative.

ARTICLE X

ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS

After initial adoption of this Agreement, municipalities may be admitted to the Cooperative by a majority vote of the legislative body of the municipality seeking admission and upon such terms and conditions as established by a majority vote of the joint board of the Cooperative. New members shall agree to all of the provisions of the Agreement and any amendments thereto, and any other conditions of admittance imposed by the joint board.

ARTICLE XI

DURATION OF AGREEMENT

This Agreement shall continue in force for a term of fifteen years. No municipality approving this Agreement may withdraw from the Cooperative for any reason during the term of this Agreement.

Each municipality approving this Agreement hereby agrees to pay its full pro-rata share of net operating costs of the facility as defined by Article VII hereof.

ARTICLE XII

BREACH OF AGREEMENT

A municipality shall be deemed to be in breach of this Agreement if it fails to appropriate or make timely payment of its share of capital cost and mandatory operating costs or if it fails to perform or comply with any of the terms, provisions, or conditions of this Agreement. The joint board shall give a municipality written notice of specific acts or omissions which constitute breach. The municipality so notified shall have seven days to conform. If the municipality fails to conform within the above mentioned time period, then the joint board shall have the power to exclude the solid waste generated by said municipality from processing at the solid waste disposal facility. No such exclusion shall render the Cooperative liable for damages or relieve the municipality deemed to be in breach from performance of its obligations hereunder and the Cooperative reserves the right to insist upon specific performance by the municipality deemed to be in breach of its ob-

ligations under this Agreement or to claim money damages. Any municipality found to be in breach of this Agreement by a court of law shall be responsible to the Cooperative for its reasonable attorney's fees and expenses incurred in respect to said breach.

ARTICLE XIII

DISTRIBUTION OF ASSETS

Assets of the Cooperative remaining at the time of termination of this Agreement shall be divided among the municipalities according to their proportionate payments or contributions to the capital construction and improvement of the Cooperative during the full term of this Agreement.

ARTICLE XIV

AMENDMENT

This Agreement may be amended only in the following manner:

The director representing any member municipality on the joint board may propose amendments. Any amendment must be the subject of at least one public hearing called in a convenient place within the Cooperative. At least seven days notice of the time, place and subject of the hearing shall be published in a paper or papers of general circulation within the Cooperative and posted in a public place in each member municipality. After the hearing, the joint board may adopt the amendment and certify it to the Board of Selectmen in each municipality. The adoption of any amendment shall require approval by at least two-thirds of the Boards of Selectmen of the member municipalities.

ARTICLE XV

SEPARABILITY

In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this Agreement be invalid, illegal or unenforceable in any respect, the validity, legality and enforceability of the remaining provisions contained herein shall not in any way be affected or impaired thereby.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the municipalities of Barrington, Durham, Greenland, Lee, Madbury, Newfields, Newington, Newmarket, Northwood, Rollinsford, Strafford, and Stratham have caused this Agreement to be signed by a majority of their Boards of Selectmen as of the dates hereinafter written.

WITNESS:	THE TOWN OF BARRINGTON
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

On this day of 1978

WITNESS:

THE TOWN OF DURHAM

On this day of 1978

TOWN OF GREENLAND

On this day of 1978

THE TOWN OF LEE

On this day of 1978

THE TOWN OF MADBURY

On this day of 1978

THE TOWN OF NEWFIELDS

On this day of 1978

WITNESS:

THE TOWN OF NEWINGTON

On this day of 1978

TOWN OF NEWMARKET

On this day of 1978

THE TOWN OF NORTHWOOD

On this day of 1978

THE TOWN OF ROLLINSFORD

On this day of 1978

THE TOWN OF STRAFFORD

On this day of 1978

WITNESS:	THE TOWN OF STRATHAM
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
	On this day of 1978

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF NORTHWOOD

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year
January 1, 1978 to December 31, 1978

Appropriations

	Appropriations Previous Fiscal Year	Recommended 1978	Submitted Without Recommendation
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 12,800.00	$ 12,800.00	
Town Officers' Expenses	10,340.00	14,000.00	
Election & Registration Exp.	850.00	2,000.00	
Municipal & District Court Exp.	400.00	400.00	
Town Hall & Other Town Bldgs.	6,000.00	7,250.00	
Emp. Ret. & Social Security	2,500.00	2,500.00	
Protection of Persons & Property:			
Police Department	14,950.00	15,300.00	
Fire Department	10,500.00	10,465.00	
Northwood Rescue Squad	1,900.00	1,665.00	
Insurance	2,000.00	9,000.00	
Planning & Zoning		700.00	
Damages & Legal Expense	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Health Department:			
Center Barnstead Ambulance	3,250.00	3,714.00	
Concord Hospital	648.00	541.00	
Vital Statistics	75.00	100.00	
Town Dump	8,000.00	18,000.00	
Highways & Bridges:			
Town Maintenance, Summer	30,000.00	35,500.00	
Town Maintenance, Winter	25,000.00	23,900.00	
Lockhart New Road Construction		22,000.00	
Street Lighting	3,300.00	4,800.00	
Gen. Expense of Highway Dept.	3,500.00	4,600.00	
Town Road Aid	670.45	4,563.83	
Libraries:	5,425.00	5,550.00	
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	15,000.00	7,500.00	
Old Age Assistance	8,000.00	5,000.00	
Patriotic Purposes, Memorial Day:	200.00	300.00	
Recreation:	7,400.00	7,700.00	
Cemeteries:	850.00	3,885.00	

Debt Service:			
Prin. & Long Term Notes & Bonds		$100,000.00	
Interest on Temporary Loans	$ 1,000.00	1,000.00	
Capital Outlay:			
S.P.E.D.Y.	4,000.00	6,000.00	
S.P.E.D.Y. Supervisor	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Revaluation Pickups	2,500.00	3,000.00	
Rural District Health Council	2,490.75	2,785.50	
Seacoast Regional Counseling Ctr.	1,000.00		
Lamprey Reg. Waste Disposal		22,835.00	
Northwood Conservation Com.		375.00	
Northwood Conservation Com. Sp. Fd.		100.00	
Northwood Conservation Com. Unexp.		240.00	
Upper Deerfield Road, Cl. VI to V			$2,000.00
Fam. Ctr. & Children's Village			1,000.00
Copier & Stand	1,654.00		
Firehouse Addition	12,000.00		
Bow Street	6,000.00		
Strafford Regional Dues	1,818.00	inc. in T.O.E.	
Berry Elm	1,000.00		
Preservation of Records	4,993.12		
Police Radar	2,000.00		
Recycling	80,000.00		
Town Hall Bldg. Modifications		7,500.00	
Fire Dept. Communication Equip.		4,000.00	
Rescue Squad Communication Equip.		500.00	
Fire Dept. Insulation & Windows		2,000.00	
School Parking Lot		4,500.00	
School Gym Acoustics		2,500.00	
Payments to Capital Reserve Funds:			
Highway Equipment	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Highway Safety Equipment	1,000.00	1,500.00	
Total Appropriations	$300,014.32	$387,569.33	$3,000.00

Sources of Revenue

	Estimated Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Actual Revenue Previous Fiscal Year	Estimated Revenue Fiscal Year 1978
From State:			
Interest & Dividends Tax	$ 11,500.00	$ 14,071.30	$ 13,000.00
Savings Bank Tax	3,000.00	3,296.59	3,000.00
Meals & Rooms Tax	12,000.00	12,287.23	12,000.00
Highway Subsidy (Cl. IV & V)	11,858.06	11,858.06	17,726.93
Reimb. Forest Conservation Aid	29.05	29.05	31.45
Reim.A/C Business Profits Tax	11,215.00	11,215.88	1,838.00
From Local Sources:			
Dog Licenses	400.00	814.00	1,000.00
Bus. Lic., Permits & Filing Fees	100.00	159.00	75.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	35,000.00	40,991.00	40,000.00
Interest on Taxes & Deposits	5,000.00	6,855.00	5,000.00
Income from Trust Funds	1,500.00	1,870.35	1,800.00
Police Dept. Revenue	2,000.00	2,121.00	2,000.00
Fines & Forfeits - Mun. Court	1,900.00	1,965.50	2,000.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	17.80	17.80	17.80
Resident Taxes Retained	8,000.00	10,650.00	10,500.00
Normal Yield Taxes Assessed	350.00	1,791.42	1,300.00
Rent of Town Property		183.00	250.00
Sale of Town Property			1,500.00
Income from Departments	4,000.00	6,752.00	4,000.00
S.P.E.D.Y.	4,000.00	5,129.28	5,000.00
T.R.A.			4,563.83
Bonds & Note Issues (Contra)	150,000.00		100,000.00
Surplus	32,478.65	83,816.14	23,131.24
From Federal Sources:			
Revenue Sharing	11,249.00	19,664.00	14,730.00
Total Revenues From All Sources Except Property Taxes	305,597.56	235,537.60	264,464.25
Amount To Be Raised By Property Taxes	63,616.76	64,476.72	123,105.08
Total Revenues	$369,214.32	$300,014.32	$387,569.33

Inventory

Land - Improved and Unimproved		$16,483,876.
Buildings		19,026,200.
Public Utilities		1,773,930.
House Trailers, Mobile Homes & Travel Trailers (199)		838,900.
Boats (45)		16,855.
Total Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed		$38,139,761.
Blind Exemptions (1)	$ 5,000.	
Elderly Exemptions (82)	719,250.	
Total Exemptions Allowed		$ 724,250.
Net Valuation on Which Tax Rate is Computed		$37,415,511.

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 12,800.00
Town Officers' Expenses	10,340.00
Election and Registration Expenses	850.00
Municipal and District Court Expenses	400.00
Town Hall and Other Building Expenses	6,000.00
Employees' Retirement & Social Security	2,500.00
Police Department	14,950.00
Fire Department	10,500.00
Insurance	2,000.00
Health Department (R.D.H.C., Concord Hospital, Ambulance)	6,388.75
Vital Statistics	75.00
Town Dump	88,000.00
Northwood Rescue Squad	1,900.00
Seacoast Regional Center	1,000.00
Town Road Aid	670.45
Town Maintenance, Summer and Winter	55,000.00
Street Lighting	3,300.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	3,500.00
Bow Street Special	6,000.00
Berry Elm	1,000.00
Libraries	5,425.00
Town Poor	15,000.00
Old Age Assistance	8,000.00
Memorial Day	200.00
Parks & Playgrounds	7,400.00
Cemeteries	850.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	3,000.00
Supervisor, S.P.E.D.Y. Program	1,000.00
Pick-up Appraisals by Revenue Administration	2,500.00
S.P.E.D.Y.	4,000.00
Strafford Regional Dues	1,818.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,000.00
Police Radar Unit	2,000.00
Microfilming Town Records and Reader-Printer	4,993.12
Copier	1,654.00
Firehouse Addition	12,000.00
Capital Reserve Fund - Highway Equipment	1,000.00
Total Town Appropriations	$299,014.02

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits

Resident Taxes	$ 11,180.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	18.00
Yield Taxes	1,798.00
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	2,638.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	12,287.00
Interest and Dividends Tax	14,071.00
Savings Bank Tax	3,297.00
Highway Subsidy	11,858.00
Reimb. a/c State-Federal Forest Land	29.00

Reimb. a/c Old Age Assistance	$ 448.00
Reimb. a/c A.P.T.D.	258.00
Crime Commission - Radar	949.00
Dog Licenses	800.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	159.00
Fines & Forfeits, Municipal and District Court	1,900.00
Rent of Town Property	200.00
Interest Received on Deposits	3,441.00
Income From Trust Funds	1,600.00
Income From Departments	7,526.00
Motor Vehicle Permits Fees	39,500.00
Surplus	70,000.00
Revenue Sharing Funds	18,647.00
Total Revenue and Credits	$202,605.00
Net Town Appropriations	$ 96,409.00
Net School Appropriations	486,872.00
County Tax Assessments	50,925.00
Total of Town, School and County	$634,206.00
Deduct: Total Business Profits Tax Reimbursement	11,215.00
Add: War Service Credits	10,100.00
Add: Overlay	2,973.00
Property Taxes To Be Raised	$636,064.00
Tax Rate	$ 1.70

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
Year Ending December 31, 1977

Title of Appropriation	Appropriation	Receipts	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	$ 12,800.00	$- - -	$ 12,800.00	$ 11,378.73	$ 1,421.25	$ - - -
Town Officers' Expenses	10,340.00	- - -	10,340.00	10,707.52	- - -	367.52
Election & Registration	850.00	- - -	850.00	532.00	318.00	- - -
Municipal & Dist. Court Expenses	400.00	- - -	400.00	314.00	86.00	- - -
Town Hall & Other Town Buildings	6,000.00	731.13	6,731.13	6,451.97	279.16	- - -
Emp. Retirement & Social Security	2,500.00	- - -	2,500.00	2,481.53	18.47	- - -
Police Department	14,950.00	2,129.50	17,079.50	15,024.27	2,055.23	- - -
Fire Department	10,500.00	215.39	10,715.39	10,824.23	- - -	108.84
Insurance and Bonds	2,000.00	189.00	2,189.00	2,726.00	- - -	537.00
Damages & Legal Expense	3,000.00	- - -	3,000.00	705.00	2,295.00	- - -
Town Dump	8,000.00	587.89	8,587.89	8,192.30	395.59	- - -
Summer Maintenance	30,000.00	784.45	30,784.45	26,704.18	4,080.27	- - -
Winter Maintenance	25,000.00	- - -	25,000.00	35,913.61	- - -	10,913.61
Gen. Expense of Highway Dept.	3,500.00	62.60	3,562.60	3,068.29	494.31	- - -
300' Bow Street	6,000.00	- - -	6,000.00	5,909.38	90.62	- - -
T. R. A.	670.45	10,649.95	11,320.40	11,320.40	- - -	- - -
Outdoor Lighting	3,300.00	- - -	3,300.00	3,062.69	237.31	- - -
Libraries	5,425.00	46.09	5,471.09	5,160.09	311.00	- - -
Town Poor	15,000.00	3,052.06	18,052.06	5,024.60	13,027.46	- - -
Old Age Assistance	8,000.00	808.63	8,808.63	2,193.92	6,614.71	- - -
Recreation	7,400.00	753.67	8,153.67	6,958.33	1,195.34	- - -
Cemeteries	850.00	- - -	850.00	816.65	33.35	- - -
Interest on Temporary Loans	1,000.00	- - -	1,000.00	309.88	690.12	- - -
Center Barnstead Ambulance	3,250.00	- - -	3,250.00	3,250.00	- - -	- - -
Concord Hospital	648.00	- - -	648.00	648.00	- - -	- - -
Rural District Health Council	2,490.75	- - -	2,490.75	2,490.75	- - -	- - -
Strafford Regional Planning Com.	1,818.00	- - -	1,818.00	1,818.00	- - -	- - -
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	1,000.00	- - -	1,000.00	1,000.00	- - -	- - -
Memorial Day	200.00	- - -	200.00	200.00	- - -	- - -
Vital Statistics	75.00	- - -	75.00	89.50	- - -	14.50
S.P.E.D.Y.	4,000.00	1,129.28	5,129.28	4,732.25	397.03	- - -
S.P.E.D.Y. Supervisor	1,000.00	- - -	1,000.00	959.29	40.71	- - -

Berry Elm	1,000.00	- - -	1,000.00	927.00	73.00	- - -
Reassessing by State	2,500.00	- - -	2,500.00	2,430.30	69.70	- - -
Police Radar Unit	2,000.00	- - -	2,000.00	1,898.00	102.00	- - -
Northwood Rescue Squad	1,900.00	- - -	1,900.00	1,881.71	18.29	- - -
Preservation of Records	4,993.12	- - -	4,993.12	4,158.43	834.69	- - -
Copier	1,654.00	- - -	1,654.00	1,654.00	- - -	- - -
Fire House Addition	12,000.00	- - -	12,000.00	12,000.00	- - -	- - -
Capital Reserve Fund - Highway Equip.	1,000.00	- - -	1,000.00	1,000.00	- - -	- - -
Recycling	80,000.00	- - -	80,000.00	4,583.49	75,416.51	- - -
Capital Reserve Fund - High. Safety	1,000.00	965.50	1,965.50	1,000.00	965.50	
Totals	$300,014.32	$22,105.14	$322,119.46	$222,500.31	$111,560.62	$11,941.47
Overdraft					11,941.47	
					$ 99,619.15	
Net Unexpended Balance				99,619.15		
				$322,119.46		

FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance Sheet

Assets

Cash:		
Town of Northwood Checking Account	$125,633.22	
Certificate of Deposit	100,000.00	
Revenue Sharing Savings Account	22,288.64	
		$247,921.86
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Highway Equipment Fund	$ 6,334.11	
Highway Safety Equipment Fund	1,000.00	
Beach Fund	381.52	
		$ 7,715.63
Accounts Due to the Town:		
Roy Dufield, forest fire	$ 275.00	
Town Poor	3,440.68	
		$ 3,715.68
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1976	$ 9,520.93	
Levy of 1975	4,390.03	
Levy of 1974	1,868.00	
Previous Years	1,077.79	
		$ 17,156.75
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1977, including Resident Taxes	$185,234.04	
Levy of 1976	38.47	
		$185,272.51
Total Assets		$461.782.43
Current Surplus, December 31, 1976	$ 83,816.14	
Current Surplus, December 31, 1977	31,149.17	
Decrease of Surplus	52,666.97	

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations:		
Vault	$ 950.00	
Beach Toilets	300.00	
American Revolutionary Bicentennial Com.	153.09	
Records Committee	128.94	
Incineration Program	75,416.51	
		$ 76,948.54
Unexpended Revenue Sharing Funds:		$ 22,288.64
Yield Tax Deposits (Escrow acct.)		892.00
School District Payable		320,872.00
Other Liabilities:		
Chesley Memorial Library	$ 456.87	
A. & A. Caswell Fund	48.48	
James Bryant Fund	269.92	
Fremont Swain Fund	355.22	
Alfred Parsons Book Fund	24.17	
Eugene Grant Library Fund	30.54	
Irene Grant Book Fund	80.78	
Northwood Bicentennial Fund	535.69	
Clinton D. Carlisle Fund	114.78	
		$ 1,916.45
Total Accounts Owed by the Town		$422,917.63
Capital Reserve Funds:		$ 7,715.63
Total Liabilities		$430,633.26
Current Surplus		$ 31,149.17
Grand Total		$461.782.43

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

As of December 31, 1977

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	$ 92,150.
Furniture and Equipment	11,200.
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	49,950.
Furniture and Equipment	10,000.
Police Department, lands and Buildings	
Equipment	5,000.
Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	36,000.
Equipment	80,000.
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	5,000.
Equipment	5,000.
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	83,650.
Schools, Lands and Buildings	476,600.
Equipment	60,000.
B. Giles Lot	13,500.
Harvey Lake Estates, Lots 139, 141, 253, 315, 433, 709, Lot 1, Plot A, Beach Lots 26, 27, 13, 14	34,900.
Desloirer Lot	4,700.
Parsonage Lot	18,350.
Gravel Bank	950.
Post Office Lot, Route 4	7,300.
A. Giles Lot, Route 4	3,700.
Town Dump and Equipment	15,150.
Total	$1,013,100.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1977

RECEIPTS:

Auto Permits	$40,991.00	
Dog and Kennel Licenses	814.90	
Filing Fees	9.00	
Total Receipts		$41,814.90

PAYMENTS TO TREASURER:

January	$ 2,979.00	
February	2,407.00	
March	7,300.50	
April	3,393.00	
May	3,049.50	
June	3,830.50	
July	2,809.20	
August	2,648.20	
September	3,580.50	
October	3,093.50	
November	3,084.50	
December	3,639.50	
Total Paid to Treasurer for the Year		$41,814.90

Respectfully submitted,

Edythe F. Schwab
Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Taxes Committed to Collector - Levy 1977:		
Property Taxes	$631,704.98	
Resident Taxes	11,180.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	18.50	
		$642,903.48
Yield Taxes:		1,979.71
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes		806.28
Resident Taxes		507.00
Interest Collected on Delinquent Taxes		348.72
Penalties Collected on Resident Taxes		59.00
Total Debits		$646,667.19
Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	$442,567.70	
Resident Taxes	10,270.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	17.70	
Yield Taxes	1,706.93	
Interest Collected	348.72	
Penalties Collected	59.00	
		$454,970.05
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	$ 6,103.10	
Resident Taxes	360.00	
		$ 6,463.10
Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1977:		
Property Taxes	$183,841.26	
Resident Taxes	1,120.00	
Yield Taxes	272.78	
		$185,314.04
Total Credits		$646,667.19

ABATEMENTS - LEVY 1977

Property Taxes:

Bachand, Thomas and Maria	over assessment	$ 6.70
Borasso, Robert	over assessment	10.91
Foss, Emily and Helen	current land use	42.90
Ring, Eloise	over assessment	194.22
Public Service Co.	over assessment	5,364.22
Purtell, James and Mary	over assessment	73.00
Westover, Gordon	over assessment	21.45
Error in Warrant		388.90
National Bank Stock Taxes	over assessment	.80
		$6,103.10

Resident Taxes:

Baker, Watson F.	Moved to Manchester, N. H.
Blake, Judith R.	Left town
Blanchard, Debra	Moved to Concord, N. H.
Boucher, Daniel	Left town
Campbell, John E.	Resident of Massachusetts
Carter, Russell	Over age
Castro, Jane	Paid in Portsmouth, N. H.
Chesley, Roy	Armed Forces
Dean, George A.	Left town
Dufield, Judith A.	Non-resident April 1, 1977
Earnshaw, William J. Jr.	Left town
Emerson, Harold	Left town
Farrell, Ann Marie	Left town
Fife, Lawrence E.	Armed Forces
Fiorentino, Peter	Left town
Fiorentino, Paul	Left town
Gasper, John	Armed Forces
Gilman, William	Left town
Heflin, Beatrice	Over age
Jackson, Walter	Left town
Johnson, E. Gertrude	Listed twice
Kelley, James P.	Armed Forces
Leary, James	Non-resident
Leary, Susan	Non-resident
Laramee, Edward J.	Left town
Martell, Arthur, Jr.	Paid in Epping, N. H.
Martin, Glen P.	Left town
Nault, Scott	Moved to Florida
Nault, Claire	Moved to Florida
Price, Rose	Over age
Smith, Kathleen	Left town
Smith, Michael	Armed Forces
Sylvester, Frank	Paid in Epsom, N. H.
Sylvester, Cynthia	Paid in Epsom, N. H.
Weinhold, John R.	Paid in Hampton, N. H.
Weinhold, Laura S.	Paid in Hampton, N. H.

UNCOLLECTED RESIDENT TAXES - LEVY 1977

Ames, Linda
Abrogast, James A.
Arnold, David J.
Bellou, Harriett
Barbarry, Austin J.
Bennett, Phyllis
Blanchard, Charles
Blanchard, Cynthia
Blatt, Neil
Blatt, Carol
Blossom, Wilbur
Brackett, Robert
Brackett, Helen M.
Carpenter, William
Carpenter, Katherine
Carr, George, Jr.
Carr, Philip, Jr.
Carr, Joyce M.
Chandler, Robert
Chandler, Cynthia
Cofferen, Edward L.
Cofferen, Karen
Coffin, Edna
Coffin, Nathan
Conlon, Lawrence James
Creighton, Dorothy
Currier, James O.
Currier, Florence
Currier, Scott
Curtis, Maurice
DeMaggio, Mary
Downs, Francis
Downs, Priscilla
Drown, Thomas
Drown, Mary
Dudley, Richard
Elliott, Brenda
Emerson, Muriel
Erwin, Linda
Fiorentino, John J.
Fiorentino, Joseph
Friend, Douglas
Gagne, David
Garneau, Ella
Garneau, Lois
Garneau, Stephen
Garneau, Wilfred
Harris, Kenneth
Hayes, Brenda
Helm, Rachael M.
Hullinger, William
Hullinger, Sandra
Hodgdon, Maurice, Jr.
Hodgdon, Gary
Howser, June
Johnson, Fred W.
Johnson, Stephen
Keefe, Kathleen
Kimball, Frances
Kimball, Ralph E., Jr.
Kist, Frederick
Kist, Anne
Koeble, Patricia
LaPage, Marie
Leavitt, Peter
Leavitt, Catherine
Lessieur, Maurice
Lessieur, Jeanne
Lester, Harold
Longo, Vincent
Low, Sarah
Lucy, George K.
Lucien, William
Lucien, Dorothy
Minucci, Ronald L.
Moak, Kenneth
Moore, William
Morrison, Geraldine
Morse, Charles
Otterson, Kathleen
Parsons, W. Dale
Pearson, Robert
Perkins, Dora
Powell, Alvin, Sr.
Rand, Everett
Ring, Ellis
Ring, Eloise
Rhonde, Linda
Ryan, Gerard
Ryan, Mary
Ryan, Mark
Shephard, Lou
Shephard, Cheryl
Simic, Charles
Simic, Helen
Smith, Mark
Smith, Anthea
Sylvester, Katherine
Thompson, Greg
Thompson, Carol M.
Tierney, Michael
Tierney, Susan
VanCourt, Arthur H.
Wallman, Carl
Wallman, Sonia
White, Randy C.
White, Katherine
Weinstanley, Leean
Wormell, William
Wormell, Renee
Yeazitzis, Margaret
McCord, Emily

LEVY 1976

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1977		
Property Taxes	$68,720.28	
Resident Taxes	1,770.00	
		$70,490.28
Added Taxes:		
Property Taxes	$ 1,244.24	
Resident Taxes	150.00	
		$ 1,394.24
Interest Collected on Delinquent Taxes		$ 3,114.72
Penalties Collected		$ 134.00
Total Debits		$75,133.24
Remittances to Treasurer During Year:		
Property Taxes	$69,734.01	
Resident Taxes	1,460.00	
Interest Collected	3,114.72	
Penalties Collected	134.00	
		$74,442.73
Abatements Made During Year:		
Property Taxes	$ 212.04	
Resident Taxes	440.00	
		$ 652.04
Uncollected Taxes - December 31, 1977		
Property Taxes	$ 18.47	
Resident Taxes	20.00	
		$ 38.47
Total Credits		$75,133.24

Uncollected Taxes -	June Neal	$18.47
	Priscilla Downs	10.00
	Francis Downs	10.00
Abated Taxes -	Helen L. Priest	141.30
	Eloise Ring	58.88
	Angeline Lazzelle	11.86

ABATED RESIDENT TAXES - LEVY 1976

Anderson, Jane	Left town
Auger, Roger	Left town
Auger, Theresa	Left town
Barrett, Anthony	Left town
Bergeron, Dale	Left town
Bowder, Joseph	Left town
Brideau, Jean	Left town
Brown, Birney	Left town
Brown, Norman	Moved to Alaska
Brown, Maureen	Moved to Alaska
Clark, John R.	Left town
Clements, James	Left town
Clements, Beverly	Left town
Cummings, Catherine	Paid in Strafford, N. H.
Emerson, Harold, Jr.	Left town
Evans, Diane	Left town
Failing, Eric	Left town
Filedes, Gina	Left town
Fiorentino, Peter	Left town
Fiorentino, Paul	Left town
Firman, Michael	Left town
Flood, Leonard	Moved to Alaska
Hanley, Frederick	Left town
Healey, Kaye E.	Left town
Hersey, David	Left town
Holmes, Philip	Moved to Concord, N. H.
Huntress, Brenda	Left town
Keefe, Kathleen	Under age
Leary, Susan	Not a resident
Lessieur, Steve C.	Left town
Manning, Stuart	Left town
Martin, Glen F.	Left town
McCarrier, George III	Paid in Concord, N. H.
Mills, Glen H.	Left town
Mowry, Nancy	Left town
Parrish, William	Left town
Parrish, Susan	Left town
Pitcher, John	Left town
Provencher, Patricia	Left town
Rago, Sandra	Left town
Robinson, Douglas	Left town
Rodriguez, Aldro	Left town
Rodriguez, Marie	Left town
Salts, Elizabeth	Left town

LEVY 1975

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1977		
Property Taxes	$ 535.00	
Resident Taxes	80.00	
		$ 615.00
Added Resident Taxes		20.00
Interest Collected on Delinquent Taxes		133.74
Penalties Collected		7.00
Total Debits		$ 775.74
Remittances to Treasurer During Year:		
Property Taxes	$ 535.00	
Resident Taxes	70.00	
Interest Collected	133.74	
Penalties Collected	7.00	
		$ 745.74
Abatements During Year		30.00
Total Credits		$ 775.74

Abatements - Levy 1975:

Greene, Timothy	Left town
Mitchell Freda	Left town
Filedes, Gina	Left town

Levy 1974:

Collected & Remitted to Treasurer	
2 Resident Taxes & Penalties	$ 22.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

September 29, 1977

Ames, Michael E.	$ 228.77
Snedecker, John and Julie	211.33
Brown, Everett and Phyllis	369.94
Carr, Philip Jr. and Joyce	295.30
Chandler, Robert and Cynthia	682.97
Dufield, Roy and Florence	119.80

Fife, Lynwood and Clara	$ 175.50	
Gagne, David and Beulah	349.61	
Jock, Leon	165.68	
Kelsey, Richard	700.70	
LaClair, Rudolph	159.62	
Lindahl, Jacqueline	712.20	
Page, Kathleen	128.35	
Don Reinhold's Ox-Bow Restaurant	1,517.48	
Sauls, John	860.46	
Smith, Mark and Anthea	30.25	
Tasker, Donald	176.62	
Tasker, Elmer and Edith	18.38	
Tasker, Lawrence Jr.	32.92	
Wallace, Leon, Jr.	294.79	
Witham, Frances	84.97	
Owners Unknown	17.54	
Bateman, Charles and Norma	80.43	
Buzzell, Charles Heirs	31.88	
Catanese, Ralph and Muriel	30.90	
Bishop, Ralph and Marilyn	112.01	
Blouin, Roger and Rita	109.33	
Caldron, Barry and Jill	26.79	
Cannizzaro, Catherine	186.47	
Cannizzaro, Walter and Catherine	64.54	
Caputo, Frank	106.75	
Cook, Elizabeth	83.90	
Concannon, Anna	438.26	
Cundy, Baylus Heirs	105.52	
Eastman, Harold	117.11	
DiFronzo, Louis and Charlotte	222.16	
Ford, George	252.59	
Fowler, David and Raylene	26.82	
Inland Acres	399.76	
Fowler, Allen G.	23.08	
Janvrin, Wendell and Elizabeth	23.08	
Klocek, Joseph and Arlene	153.17	
Loy, M. Jessica Nason	346.27	
McCann, Frederick and Virginia	206.31	
Manseau, Ruth	22.75	
Montville, Bruce	167.40	
O'Connor, John and Dorothy	268.63	
Preve, Lynn, Robin, Wendy and Jeffrey	106.93	
Preve, Wilfred and Rena	173.87	
Preve, William and Pearl	197.00	
Preve, William, Sr.	55.51	
Steele, George W. and Dorothy M.	165.08	
Russell, Marilyn Grace	233.63	
Smalley, Harrington D. Jr.	186.57	
Staab, Martin R.	246.04	
Steeves, Norman L.	152.17	
		$12,455.89

TAX SALES REDEEMED DURING FISCAL YEAR 1977

	1976 Levy	1975 Levy	1974 Levy
Bateman, Charles and Norma	$ 80.43	$	$
Benoit, George and Dorcas		134.59	129.16
Caldron, Barry and Jil	26.79		
Catanese, Ralph and Muriel	30.90		
Chandler, Robert and Cynthia		22.00	
Coffin, Nathan and Edna		636.88	386.08
Decato, Roger and Evangia		346.38	
DiFronzo, Louis and Charlotte	222.16		
LaFreniere, Gerald and Roberta		512.23	368.45
LeClair, Rudolph	159.62		
Lesnyk, Paul and Victoria		43.47	
Lesnyk, Paul et al		58.33	
Lindahl, Jacqueline	718.73	445.78	688.32
Martel, Carol		654.28	411.02
McLaughlin, Robert		4,504.43	
Michaud, Joseph and Janice		78.30	
Michlon, Ronald		65.87	
Montville, Bruce	170.83		
McClellan, Margaret		196.96	102.96
Page, Kathleen	128.35		
Preve, Wilfred and Rena		262.61	
Russell, Marilyn G.	233.63		
Sauls, John E.	876.26	657.98	561.20
Scontsas, Peter		100.00	
Smith, Mark and Anthea	30.25		
Steele, George and Dorothy	165.08		
Tasker, Lawrence, Jr.	32.92		
Witham, Frances	84.97		
	$2,960.92	$8,720.09	$2,647.19

SUMMARY TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

	1976	1975	1974	Previous Years
Balance Unredeemed Taxes January 1, 1977		$12,333.49	$3,890.66	$1,077.79
Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year	$12,455.89			
Interest Collected After Sale	25.76	776.63	624.53	---
Total Debits	$12,481.65	$13,110.12	$4,515.19	$1,077.79

Remittances to Treasurer During Year	$ 2,935.16	$ 7,943.46	$2,022.66	$ ----
Interest Collected After Sale	25.76	776.63	624.53	----
Unredeemed Taxes December 31, 1977	9,520.73	4,390.03	1,868.00	1,077.79
Total Credits	$12,481.65	$13,110.12	$4,515.19	$1,077.79

TOTAL FUNDS COLLECTED DURING YEAR

AND REMITTED TO TREASURER

Property Taxes Current Year - 1977	$442,567.70	
Resident Taxes	$ 10,270.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	17.70	
Yield Taxes	1,706.93	
		$454,562.33
Previous Years:		
Property Taxes	$ 70,269.01	
Resident Taxes	1,550.00	
Interest on Delinquent Taxes	3,597.18	
Penalties on Resident Taxes	202.00	
		$ 75,618.19
		$530,180.52
Tax Sales Redeemed with Interest		14,328.20
Grand Total		$544,508.72

Respectfully submitted,

Helen A. Sherman, Collector

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1977

Cash Balance:		
December 31, 1976		$190,318.16
Current Receipts:		
From Tax Collector	$544,508.72	
From Selectmen	189,225.07	
From Town Clerk	41,814.90	
Certificate of Deposit	100,000.00	875,548.69
Total Amount Available from All Sources		$1,065,866.85
Less:		
Total Disbursement per orders of Selectmen		$ 840,233.63
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1977:		
Concord National Bank Checking Account		$ 125,633.22
Certificate of Deposit in Concord National Bank		100,000.00

FEDERAL REVENUE SHARING AND ANTI-RECESSIONAL FUNDS

Report for the Year 1977, Inclusive

Cash Balance - December 31, 1976		$ 19,218.04
Deposits:		
February 4, 1977	$3,704.00	
April 12, 1977	3,586.00	
August 5, 1977 (revenue sharing)	3,586.00	
August 5, 1977 (anti-recessional)	182.00	
November 7, 1977	3,696.00	
January 16, 1978	4,910.00	
Total Deposits for 1977		$ 19,664.00
Interest for 1977		$ 1,219.03
Total Available from All Sources		$ 40,101.07
Withdrawal per order of Selectmen		$ 17,812.43
Balance in Concord Savings Bank, January, 1978		$ 22,288.64

Respectfully submitted,

Constance R. Linnell
Treasurer

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Pistol Permits	$ 110.00
Gun Sale Permits	4.00
Explosive Permits	6.00
Special Police Duty	1,890.00
Dog Fines	90.00
Police Department	228.50
Junk Yard Permits	50.00
Hauling Fee	25.00
Dump Receipts	587.89
Timber Receipts	892.00
Libraries	46.09
Fire Department	215.39
Town Poor	3,052.06
Town Hall and Other Buildings	468.13
Old Age Assistance	808.63
Parks and Playgrounds	753.67
General Expenses of Highway Department	62.60
Summer Maintenance	784.45
T.R.A.	11,320.40
Revenue Sharing	17,812.43
Temporary Loans	80,000.00
Interest on Deposits	3,441.44
Rockingham/Strafford Manpower Administration	5,129.28
Auburn District Court	1,965.50
Town Hall - Rental	263.00
New Trust Funds	2,590.00
Pine Grove Cemetery Trust	385.00
State of New Hampshire	53,936.44
Income From Trust Funds	1,870.35
Miscellaneous	363.03
Total Receipts	$189,151.28

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	$ 14,198.75
Town Officers' Expenses	10,707.52
Election and Registration	532.00
Town Hall and Other Buildings	6,451.97
Fire Department	10,824.23
Police Department	15,024.27
Municipal Court	314.00
Northwood Rescue Squad	1,881.71
Insurance	2,726.00
Rural District Health Council	2,490.75
Concord Hospital	648.00
Ambulance Service	3,250.00
Strafford Regional Planning Commission	1,818.00
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	1,000.00
Vital Statistics	89.50
Town Dump	8,192.30
Summer Maintenance	26,704.18
Winter Maintenance	35,913.61
Bow Street	5,909.38
T.R.A. Town Share	670.45
T.R.A. Paid by Town	11,320.40
General Expenses Highway Department	3,068.29
Street Lighting	3,062.69
Libraries	5,160.09
Old Age Assistance	2,193.92
Town Poor	5,024.60
Memorial Day	200.00
Parks & Playgrounds	6,958.33
Cemeteries	816.65
Damages and Legal Expenses	705.00
Timber Tax Deposits	1,235.20
Taxes Bought By Town	12,455.89
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	3,597.37
Annie Giles Land Purchase	1,060.00
Beach Toilets	200.00
Social Security	2,481.53
Recycling	3,044.49
Feasibility Study	1,539.00
Berry Elm	927.00
Assessing	2,430.30
Police Radar Unit	1,898.00
Revenue Sharing	17,812.43
Temporary Loans	80,000.00
Interest on Temporary Loans	309.88
County Tax	50,925.24
State Yield Tax	359.56
New Trust Funds	2,590.00
Pine Grove Cemetery Trust	385.00
1973 Northwood Bicentennial Fund	644.60
Pine Grove Endowment Income	358.97
Chesley Memorial Book Fund	400.10
Arthur & Alice Caswell Fund	40.00

Fremont Swain Fund	$ 47.00
Alfred Parsons Book Fund	20.07
Eugene Grant Fund	31.93
Chesley Maintenance Fund	500.00
Irene Grant Book Fund	51.65
Clinton D. Carlisle Fund	30.71
Christina Morse Fund	12.50
Capital Reserve - Highway Equipment	1,000.00
Capital Reserve - Highway Safety Equipment	1,000.00
S.P.E.D.Y. Program	4,732.25
S.P.E.D.Y. Supervisor	959.29
Northwood School District	459,297.08
	$840,233.63

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Pistol Permits:

W. Edward Bryant, Jr.	$	2.00
John Young		2.00
Richard A. Mullin		2.00
Richard Johnston		2.00
Ross Allen		2.00
Alfonso Villamil		2.00
W. Walter Fiander		2.00
Vern Chesley		2.00
John Story Smith		2.00
Charles Klaubert		2.00
George Wilson		2.00
Mark Seaver		2.00
Dennis Schwab		2.00
John R. Tasker, Sr.		2.00
Lawrence Corliss		2.00
Joan Brady		2.00
George Perkins		2.00
Linda Rohde		2.00
John Straughan		2.00
David Gagne		2.00
Donald Reinhold		2.00
Robert Burkland		2.00
Glendle B. Caverly		2.00
Brad Bates		2.00
Edward Shinn, Sr.		2.00
George Jordan		2.00
James Morse		2.00
Laurence S. Elliott		2.00
Arthur Martel		2.00
Sibilla R. Allen		2.00
Joseph Braley		2.00
William DeTrude		2.00
Keith W. Lidback		2.00
Jay McCartin		2.00
Daniel Tasker		2.00
Walter Crandall		2.00
Allen Clark		2.00
Charles Richardson		2.00
Gerry Bessom		2.00
Edna Colpritt		2.00
Fred H. Merrill		2.00
James Eaton		2.00
James Tuttle		2.00
Richard Johnson		2.00
Jane Boolba		2.00
Robert McVicar		2.00
Philip English		2.00
Robert Greene		2.00
Ann Nichols		2.00
Stanley Nichols		2.00

John Newman	$ 2.00	
Edward Danilowski	2.00	
Arthur Desmaris	2.00	
Herbert Rich, Jr.	2.00	
Linwood C. Wilson	2.00	
		$ 110.00
Gun Sale Permits:		
Harvey B. Jackson	$ 1.00	
Richard A. Mullin	1.00	
David White	1.00	
Stanley Nichols	1.00	
		$ 4.00
Explosive Permits:		
Silvana Cenci	$ 2.00	
Edward Boudreau	2.00	
Harvey B. Jackson	2.00	
		$ 6.00
Special Police Duty:		
Jeffrey Lalish, Craftsman's Fair	$ 90.00	
Pinkham Funeral Home	69.00	
Fred W. Johnson	72.00	
Lions' Club Flea Market	120.00	
Epsom Old Home Day	42.00	
Ox Bow Restaurant	45.00	
Coe-Brown Northwood Academy	162.00	
Northwood Elementary School	84.00	
Baptist Churches Men's Club	3.00	
Ladies Aid, First Baptist Church	3.00	
First Baptist Church	288.00	
St. Joseph's Church	834.00	
St. Joseph's Women's Club	30.00	
N. H. Scholastic Association	21.00	
Richard H. Johnston	6.00	
Boy Scout Troop 312	21.00	
		$ 1,890.00
Dog Fines:		
Mrs. G. Houle	$ 10.00	
Floyd Thomas	10.00	
Jill Lynn Jones	5.00	
Jean Goss	10.00	
Annette Brown	10.00	
Donald Stanton	10.00	
Geraldine McMenamon	5.00	
Leonard Anthony	10.00	
Winifred Nault	10.00	
Theresa Lemieux	10.00	
		$ 90.00

Police Department:		
Merchants Mutual Insurance Co., cruiser window	$ 91.00	
St. Paul Fire & Marine Ins. Co., acc. report	10.00	
Joann & Steven Pearson, sale of cook stove	127.50	
		$ 228.50
Junk Yard Permits:		
Harding Metals, Inc.	$ 25.00	
Northwood Auto Salvage	25.00	
		$ 50.00
Hauling Fee:		
Robert J. McVicar		$ 25.00
Dump Receipts:		$ 587.89
Timber Deposits:		
Larry Fair	$ 276.00	
Joseph Bolduc, Jr.	168.00	
J.E.F.F., Inc.	448.00	
		$ 892.00
Libraries:		
Heidi Buzzell	$ 1.74	
Dorothy Colprit	25.00	
Fines, Donations and Gifts	19.35	
		$ 46.09
Fire Department:		
State of N. H., forest fire refunds	$ 155.21	
Epsom Fire Dept., forest fire refund	60.18	
		$ 215.39
Town Poor:		
Reimbursement from individuals	$ 3,032.06	
Reimbursement from County	20.00	
		$ 3,052.06
Town Hall and Other Buildings:		
Jane Boolba, overpayment of wages	$ 120.00	
Robert A. Low, contribution of fixtures and basement lighting	348.13	
		$ 468.13
Old Age Assistance:		
State of New Hampshire		
Gwendolyn Caswell	$ 418.39	
Marjorie Perry	131.94	
William Lovely	258.30	
		$ 808.63
Parks and Playgrounds:		
Concession fee	$ 50.00	
Beach Receipts	703.67	
		$ 753.67

General Expenses of Highway Department:		
Murray D. Tasker, culvert		$ 62.60
Summer Maintenance:		
Murray D. Tasker, tarring of driveway	$ 314.60	
Johnson's Dairy Farm, tarring of driveway	242.30	
Bernard A. Houlihan, tarring of driveway	177.55	
Town of Strafford, grading of road	50.00	
		$ 784.45
T.R.A.:		
Treasurer, State of New Hampshire		
1976 T.R.A.	$ 3,747.60	
1977 T.R.A.	5,868.80	
Murray D. Tasker, reimb. for gravel	1,704.00	
		$ 11,320.40
Revenue Sharing:		
Concord Savings Bank		$ 17,812.43
Temporary Loans:		
Concord National Bank		$ 80,000.00
Interest on Deposits:		
Concord National Bank		$ 3,441.44
Rockingham/Strafford Manpower Administration:		
S.P.E.D.Y. reimbursement		$ 5,129.28
Auburn District Court:		
Court Revenue		$ 1,965.50
Town Hall - Rental:		
Northwood Cooperative School	$ 160.00	
Sandra Teal	80.00	
Crankpullers Club	10.00	
Lions Club	13.00	
		$ 263.00
New Trust Funds:		
George A. Johnson and Dorothy I. Hoyt		
Foss & Johnson Lot #65, East Northwood	$ 200.00	
Lillian Foote		
Lot #7, Fairview	120.00	
Roland Thomas		
Lot #21, Fairview	120.00	
Howard M. & J. Pearl Dewey		
1/2 Lot #177 N.W., Pine Grove	120.00	
Kenneth C. and Vera C. Crooker		
Daniel P. Mason & George E. Colcord		
Lot #89, Ridge	300.00	
Julia A. Jeffrey		
Lot #22, Fairview	120.00	

Marjorie Perry, Howard S. & Catherine B. Mace		
1/2 Lot #45, Pine Grove	$ 120.00	
E. A. Farrow		
1/2 Lot #70, Pine Grove	120.00	
Grace A. Bartlett		
George A. Bartlett Cemetery	150.00	
Bertha I. Welch		
1/2 Lot #22, Pine Grove	120.00	
Charles E. Roberts		
Lot #190, Pine Grove	200.00	
Hazel M. and Ralph E. Graham		
Lester Graham, Lot #191, Ridge	200.00	
Viola Beauchain		
Lot #203, Pine Grove	200.00	
Robert A. Low		
Contribution to Clinton D. Carlisle Fund	500.00	
		$ 2,590.00
Pine Grove Cemetery Trust:		
Howard M. and J. Pearl Dewey		
1/2 Lot #177 N.W.	$ 85.00	
Charles E. Roberts		
Lot #190	150.00	
Viola Beauchain		
Lot #203	150.00	
		$ 385.00
State of New Hampshire:		
Highway Subsidy	$11,858.06	
Business Profits Tax	11,215.88	
Interest and Dividends Tax	14,071.30	
Bank Tax	3,296.59	
Rooms and Meals Tax	12,287.23	
1976 Reimb. State & Federal Forest Lands	29.05	
Radar Recovery	949.00	
Gas Tax Refund	229.33	
		$ 53,936.44
Income From Trust Funds:		
Chesley Library Maintenance Fund	$ 500.00	
Chesley Memorial Library	439.00	
Arthur and Alice Caswell Fund	28.34	
James Bryant Fund	131.70	
Fremont Swain Fund	101.16	
Alfred Parsons Book Fund	21.72	
Eugene Grant Fund	30.20	
Irene Grant Book Fund	78.64	
Christina Morse Fund	17.56	
1973 Northwood Bicentennial Fund	411.24	
Clinton D. Carlisle Fund	110.79	
		$ 1,870.35

Miscellaneous:		
Lucas Pond Lease Transfers, Lots 2, 22, 38	$ 4.00	
W. Edward Bryant, Jr., sale of Perry trailer	125.00	
Sale of tax map pages	10.00	
Sale of Checklist	2.00	
Voided checks, #8438, 8404, 8427, 8470	73.79	
American Revolutionary Bicentennial Co., trees	62.18	
David Noyes, subdivision hearing expenses	59.04	
Copy machine receipts	52.75	
J.J. Jeffrey Post #7217, V.F.W., 1 yr. rent	8.00	
J.J. Jeffrey Post #7217, V.F.W., electricity	9.30	
Attorney Earl L. Kalil, sub-division hearing	30.76	
		$ 436.82
Total Receipts		$189,225.07

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail No. 1
Town Officers' Salaries

Selectmen:		
True W. Chesley	$ 696.00	
Robert A. Low	3,874.00	
Charles B. Johnson	2,139.00	
Keith W. Lidback	911.25	
Treasurer:		
Constance R. Linnell	300.00	
Town Clerk:		
Edythe F. Schwab	130.50	
Tax Collector:		
Helen A. Sherman	3,000.00	
Trustee of Trust Funds:		
George V. Linscott	100.00	
Auditors:		
Eleanor T. Pinkham	114.00	
Arlene W. Johnson	114.00	
		$ 11,378.75

Detail No. 2
Auto Permits, Dog Licenses and Resident Taxes

Edythe F. Schwab, Auto Permits	$2,202.00	
Edythe F. Schwab, Dog Licenses	62.50	
Helen A. Sherman, Resident Taxes	555.50	
		$ 2,820.00

Detail No. 3
Town Officers' Expenses

Robert A. Low, mileage, expenses, postage	$ 323.38
Charles B. Johnson, mileage, expenses, phone	213.44
Keith W. Lidback, mileage, expenses	93.43
True W. Chesley, mileage, tax maps, deeds	77.50
Marion J. Knox, salary	3,125.25
Marion J. Knox, mileage, expenses, postage	48.47
Veronica A. Post, salary	1,284.00
A. B. Dick Company, paper and supplies	75.49
3 M. Business Products Sales, Inc., supplies	109.55
Brown & Saltmarsh, Inc., supplies	508.38
Homestead Press & Bookshop, tax bills, envelopes	223.17
Monitor Publishing Co., Inc., legal notices	92.25
The Union Leader Corporation, legal notices	217.00
George Walsh, typewriter table, repairs	133.75
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags, license books	47.88
Carol E. Ingraham, Merrimack Register of Probate	.10
N. H. Association of Assessing Officials, dues	10.00
N. H. City & Town Clerks Association, dues	10.00

N. H. Municipal Association, dues, reg. fees	$ 387.50	
N. H. Assoc. of Conservation Commissions, dues	40.00	
N. H. Tax Collectors' Association, dues	10.00	
Edythe F. Schwab, telephone, supplies, postage	100.03	
Suncook Valley Sun, legal notices	93.00	
Helen A. Sherman, mileage, expenses, supplies	637.79	
Edith E. Holland, deeds	135.38	
Postmaster, Town of Northwood, postage, envelopes	774.32	
The Linnell Press, letterheads	15.00	
Equity Publishing Corporation, Volumes 6 & 6A	50.00	
Exeter News-Letter, town reports, forms	1,513.00	
Roland B. Thomas, file cards	70.00	
Heritage True Value Hardware, paint	2.79	
Treasurer, State of N.H., boat forms	36.00	
Adams Glass Co., Inc.,keys	7.40	
Newmarket Press, Inc., building permits	73.40	
Multigraphics Division, parts	7.99	
Dr. Alfred D. Mihachik, treatment - S.P.E.D.Y.	46.00	
David R. Noyes, rods & flagging - Cons. Com.	14.00	
Boston Blue Print Co., Inc., map - Cons. Com.	80.68	
Charles S. Frary, cement, prints, mylar - Cons. Com.	20.20	
		$ 10,707.52

Detail No. 4
Election and Registration

Exeter News-Letter, ballots	$ 62.00	
Evans Printing Co., voter registration cards	27.50	
Eric Swanfeldt, ballot clerk	37.50	
Doris Piper, ballot clerk	37.50	
Roberta LaFreniere, ballot clerk	37.50	
A. Paul Marshall, ballot clerk	37.50	
Jean Lane, ballot counter	10.50	
Eleanor T. Pinkham, ballot counter	10.50	
Lorraine Colby, ballot counter	10.50	
Margaret English, ballot counter	10.50	
Helen B. Johnson, supervisor	66.00	
Arlene Bassett, supervisor	66.00	
Veronica A. Post, supervisor	66.00	
Robert A. Johnson, Moderator	52.50	
		$ 532.00

Detail No. 5
Town Hall and Other Buildings

Muriel Emerson, labor	$ 27.50
Jane Boolba, labor	487.00
Robert J. McVicar, labor	27.00
Michael E. Ames, labor	20.00
Stephen Bedard, janitorial services	727.75
New England Telephone	606.01
Everett E. Farr, labor, materials	249.83
Perkins Agency, Misc. articles floater policy	113.00
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	597.10

Ralph Pill Electric Supply Co., exhaust fan	$ 139.10	
Elkins Electrical, installation of wall fan	112.02	
Robert LaFreniere, labor	17.25	
Heritage True Value Hardware, supplies	32.65	
Northwood Rescue Squad, cleaning supplies	19.72	
Mid Country Chemical Corp. of America, ice pellets	466.30	
David R. Whitcher, repairs to Community Hall	279.50	
Public Service Co., Inc. electricity	763.68	
Lester's Foodland, towels, toilet tissue, supplies	93.03	
Northwood Oil Co., Inc. fuel, plumbing repairs	1,477.45	
Leon Wallace, Jr., labor	5.50	
J. Perry Richardson, bulb, light sensors	20.28	
Adams Glass Co., Inc., new locks	32.00	
Murray D. Tasker, septic tank pumping	40.00	
Heidt Electric Products, tubes	98.30	
		$ 6,451.97

Detail No. 6
Fire Department

Sears, Roebuck & Co., equipment	$ 92.36
N.H. State Firemen's Association, dues	155.00
Johnson Farm Supply, supplies	11.20
Peerless Insurance Co., blanket accident insurance	160.95
New England Telephone	790.98
Safeguard Fire Equipment Co., repairs	7.50
Sanel Auto Parts, Inc., supplies	187.72
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	1,261.90
Northwood Fire Dept., trucks for forest fire	60.00
Lindquist Machine & Welding, muffler & repairs	66.00
Tri-State Gas, Inc., supplies	64.65
Marr Radio Corp., radio, antenna, crystals	630.00
Northwood Bldg. Supply Center, Inc., cement	14.40
Impala Chem Lab Inc., truck wash & wax	105.91
Heritage True Value Hardware, gas, supplies	138.22
Northwood Garage, gas, repairs	1,193.97
Gilbert Welding, Inc., hose and valve	184.25
Standard Plumbing & Heating, valves	250.60
Public Service Co., electricity	581.55
Top of Ridge Store, gas and supplies	350.93
Huckins Oil Co., Inc., fuel, oil, 1000 gal. tank	2,276.36
Sherman's Garage, gas, oil, repairs	43.66
Leon Seward, labor, supplies	287.25
Middlesex Fire Equipment Co., light	28.66
Conway Associates, equipment	50.77
Goulet Supply Co., Inc., nipple	3.15
City of Concord, N.H., filling of bottles	6.25
Treasurer, State of N.H., fire rakes and chain	13.10
Deerfield Gas Service, gas	33.00
Radio Service of Center Barnstead, repairs	91.69
Carroll L. Bassett, training, mileage, labor	47.00
Donald E. Bassett, training, labor	30.60
Paul Colby, training, labor	37.40
Earl Strout, training, mileage, labor	36.60

Alan Clark, training, mileage, labor	$ 27.60	
Kevin Looney, training, labor	20.40	
Robert Burkland, labor	10.20	
Robert LaRoche, labor	14.70	
Richard Drown, labor	29.40	
Blake Watson, labor	5.88	
William Calef, labor	20.58	
Charles Bailey, labor	5.88	
Roland Staples, labor	5.88	
Daniel Tasker, labor	5.88	
Robert Lindquist, Jr., labor	5.88	
Karl Polson, labor	5.88	
Leonard Littlefield, labor	5.88	
Ben DeButts, labor	5.88	
Wayne Chadbourn, labor	5.88	
Robert Brown, labor	5.88	
Revillo Strout, labor	5.88	
Paul W. Colby, labor	5.52	
Douglas Blackwell, labor	5.52	
Heating Specialties of N.H., Inc., supplies	46.10	
Motorola, Inc., radio, converts, mike, etc.	1,112.00	
Dwight Haley, fireman's mittens	27.90	
Polly Pinkham, reimbursement - liners	108.30	
Treasurer, State of N.H., straps and pumps	37.75	
		$ 10,824.23

Detail No. 7
Police Department

Herbert Rich, Jr., salary	$1,997.50
Herbert Rich, Jr., mileage	148.80
Gerald LaFreniere, salary	5,133.00
Gerald LaFreniere, mileage	7.50
Gerald LaFreniere, convention expenses	200.00
New England Telephone	744.43
John R. Tasker, Sr., salary	1,381.00
John R. Tasker, Sr., mileage	48.01
International Association of Chiefs of Police, dues	35.00
Bernard Tire Co., Inc., tire	40.94
Northwood Garage, servicing, repairs, tire	466.53
State of N. H., radio repairs	100.38
Lester's Foodland, dog food	16.96
B-B Chain Co., chains & cross chains	35.20
Richard A. Sherburne, Inc., clothing, equipment	474.15
W. Edward Bryant, Jr., salary	368.50
W. Edward Bryant, Jr., mileage	38.70
Plaistow Lumber & Supply Co., Inc., cement	5.90
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	698.00
Northwood Oil Co., Inc., gasoline	431.25
Dowst Auto Body, window replacement	91.00
Ross E. Allen, salary	753.25
Ross E. Allen, mileage	1.05
Charles Richardson, salary	804.00
Western Auto Associates, vests, pants	30.95

Heritage True Value Hardware, film	$ 18.57	
Ridge Store, film, batteries, oil	26.20	
Central Equipment, film, flares, etc.	222.50	
Protective Materials Co., Inc., bullet-proof vests	705.00	
		$ 15,024.27

Detail No. 8
Municipal Court

Equity Publishing Corp., 1977 Criminal Codes	$ 14.00	
Judge John A. Korbey, travel expenses	250.00	
Attorney Earl Kalil, Jr., Special Justice	50.00	
		$ 314.00

Detail No. 9
Northwood Rescue Squad

New England Telephone	$ 563.80	
Ridge Store, gasoline	117.16	
B-B Chain Co., chains	45.00	
Stevens Insurance Agency, liab. malpractive ins.	250.00	
State of N.H. Motor Vehicles, tital transfer	2.00	
Sherman's Garage, inspection, labor	20.00	
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	21.60	
Stevens Insurance Agency, accident insurance	115.00	
Concord General Mutual, van insurance	235.00	
Northwood Garage, repairs	82.55	
Northwood Rescue Squad, reimb. for bills paid	429.60	
		$ 1,881.71

Detail No. 10
Insurance

John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, Bond insurance	$ 363.00	
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, Workman's Comp.	2,363.00	
		$ 2,726.00

Detail No. 11
Rural District Health Council

Rural District Health Council	$ 2,490.75

Detail No. 12
Concord Hospital

Concord Hospital	$ 648.00

Detail No. 13
Ambulance Service

Center Barnstead Fire Department	$ 3,250.00

Detail No. 14
Strafford Regional Planning Commission

Strafford Regional Planning Commission, dues	$ 1,818.00

Detail No. 15
Seacoast Regional Counseling Center

Seacoast Regional Counseling Center	$ 1,000.00

Detail No. 16
Vital Statistics

Edythe F. Schwab	$ 89.50

Detail No. 17
Town Dump

Leon Wallace, Jr., bulldozing dump	$2,285.00	
Keith W. Lidback, labor and paint	125.69	
Charles B. Johnson, Sr., labor	109.50	
J. P. Chemical Company, Inc., extermination	180.00	
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	27.00	
New England Telephone	199.20	
Ridge Store, gasoline for tractor	12.23	
Northwood Garage, tractor repairs, labor	58.95	
Robert J. McVicar, labor	83.00	
Agway Petroleum Corp., motor oil	16.25	
Public Service Company, electricity	118.04	
Richard Cummings, labor	5.50	
Jane Boolba, labor	1,922.50	
Jordan-Milton Machinery, Inc., tractor parts	13.79	
Edward Cutter, labor cutting brush	80.00	
Concord Lumber Company, padlock	89.92	
Murray D. Tasker Construction, dozer and gravel	774.50	
Solid Waste Equipment, 6 yd. dumpster	465.00	
Robert A. Low, scales	75.00	
Revillo M. Strout, labor	1,514.25	
Suncook Valley Sun, padlock notice	6.00	
Heritage True Value Hardware, plugs	1.98	
J. Perry Richardson, labor	29.00	
		$ 8,192.30

Detail No. 18
Summer Maintenance

Mark Smith, reimb. for labor	$ 40.00
Cecil Tasker, labor	112.50
Murray D. Tasker Construction, equipment, gravel	15,057.60
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	242.00
Gerry Bessom, labor	108.00
George W. Carr, mowing brush	387.00
Leon Wallace, Jr., labor	240.62
Richard H. Cummings, labor	100.37

John Robb	$ 15.00	
Benjamin Daroska, sweeper rental	110.00	
Robert Pollard, labor	121.00	
Arthur Cofferen, labor	16.50	
Joseph Braley, labor	45.00	
Charles B. Johnson, Jr., labor	242.00	
J. Perry Richardson, labor	1,893.70	
Allied Chemical Corporation, cold patch	826.02	
Heritage True Value Hardware, gas and supplies	5.79	
N. H. Bituminous Co., Inc., tar	5,436.58	
Cutter Enterprises, sanding and truck	873.00	
Michael Anthony Construction, sanding and truck	536.00	
Philip Dail, sanding and truck	295.50	
		$ 26,704.18

Detail No. 19
Winter Maintenance

Michael Anthony Construction, plowing, sanding	$26,000.00	
Charles Pease, plowing	344.00	
Double "A" Construction, plowing	2,672.00	
J. Perry Richardson, plowing	184.00	
Northwood Garage, plowing	2,672.40	
Carl Philip Carr, labor	24.00	
Walter Pinkham, plowing	128.00	
Granite State Minerals, Inc., salt	1,633.94	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange, calcium chloride	16.58	
James Nichols, plowing	300.00	
Manchester Sand & Gravel, sand	344.33	
J. W. O'Connor Trucking, hauling sand	1,068.75	
Leon Wallace, Jr., labor	62.24	
Richard H. Cummings, labor	38.87	
Richard H. Cummings, mileage	4.50	
Arthur F. Cofferen, Jr., labor	10.00	
Paul M. Smith, plowing	330.00	
Edward Boudreau, reimb. for plowing	80.00	
		$ 35,913.61

Detail No. 20
Bow Street

Murray D. Tasker Construction, equipment, gravel	$2,019.20	
Stephen Merrill, labor	48.00	
J. Perry Richardson, labor	92.80	
Taylor Rental, chipper rental	97.52	
Lindquist Machine, compressor rental	40.00	
Garrison Brothers, tractor	1,800.00	
Armco Steel Corp., culvert and couplings	1,811.86	
		$ 5,909.38

Detail No. 21
T.R.A. Town Share

Treasurer, State of N.H.	$ 670.45

Detail No. 22
T.R.A. Paid By State
1976 - 1977

Armco Steel Co., culvert	$ 158.26	
Iafolla, hot top	571.68	
Murray D. Tasker Construction, gravel and loam	1,704.00	
Town of Northwood, reimbursement for payroll	9,616.40	
		$ 12,050.34

Detail No. 22A
T.R.A. Paid by Town
1976 - 1977

Murray D. Tasker Construction, Winding Hill Rd.	$5,856.30	
Murray D. Tasker Construction, Harmony Road	1,596.20	
Murray D. Tasker Construction, Bow Street	3,887.90	
		$ 11,320.40

Detail No. 23
General Expenses Highway Dept.

Public Service Co., electricity	$ 40.90	
Northwood Oil Co., Inc., gasoline	431.25	
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	483.30	
Sherman's Garage, repairs	62.45	
R. C. Hazelton Co., Inc., culvert and couplings	689.50	
J. Perry Richardson, truck, expenses, chipper	352.73	
Heritage True Value Hardware, gas, supplies	15.09	
Northwood Garage, tire, repairs	132.27	
Agway Petroleum Corp., motor oil	15.50	
Armco Steel Corp., culvert and couplings	723.62	
Treasurer, State of N. H., deaf signs	24.00	
Robert A. Low, chipper rental	82.68	
Lindquist Machine & Welding, rental of equipment	15.00	
		$ 3,068.29

Detail No. 24
Street Lighting

Public Service Company of N. H.	$ 3,062.69

Detail No. 25
Libraries

National Geographic Magazine	$ 43.10
World Book Encyclopedia, Inc.	17.55
Delong Subscription Agency, Inc.	151.35
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	427.40
N. H. Library Trustees Association, dues	9.00
National Wildlife Federation	7.00
American Antiques & Crafts Society	9.00
Doubleday & Company, Inc.	224.40
Joann Nutter, snow removal	8.00
Edith L. Clement, salary	60.00

Gladys Gardner, salary	$2,235.00	
Gladys Gardner, expenses	67.65	
New England Telephone	199.20	
Public Service Company of N. H.	287.43	
Huckins Oil Company, Inc.	891.93	
Wilson Electric, toggle switch and labor	14.17	
Elizabeth Stimmell, salary	12.00	
Appletree Book Shop, books	48.52	
Eastern Book Co., books	148.23	
Guy Gannett Publishing Co., magazine	6.71	
MacMillan Publishing Co., Inc., books	234.18	
Yankee, subscription	5.33	
The H. W. Wilson Company, Readers' Guide	25.00	
The Early American Society, Inc., magazine	8.00	
Thomas Bouregy & Company, Inc., books	8.85	
Freline, Inc., books	10.89	
		$ 5,160.09

Detail No. 26
Old Age Assistance

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire	$ 2,193.92

Detail No. 27
Town Poor

Food	$1,540.77	
Rent	1,235.65	
Fuel	887.90	
Electricity	940.51	
Medical	136.45	
Total Support	283.32	
		$ 5,024.60

Detail No. 28
Memorial Day

J. J. Jeffrey Post No. 7217 V.F.W.	$ 200.00

Detail No. 29
Parks & Playgrounds

Public Service Co.	$ 161.85
J. Perry Richardson, labor	34.80
John A. Tasker Insurance Agency, insurance	47.00
Northwood Oil Company, Inc., plumbing	58.14
MacCallum's Boathouse, Inc., life preservers	38.34
Heritage True Value Hardware, supplies	57.76
Robert D. Pollard, beach duty	1,335.25
Bruce W. Young, beach duty	952.50
William Earnshaw, Jr., beach duty	65.00
Plaistow Lumber & Supply, lumber	16.85
Triangle Chemical Toilet Co., servicing	300.00
Patrick Fennessy, wages	332.50
Frederick Wolff, beach duty	360.00
Russell Bedard, beach duty	421.25

Gilman's Glass, window repair	$ 20.00	
Double "A" Construction Co., sand	622.04	
The Suncook Valley Sun, request for bids notice	6.00	
Portsmouth Paper Company, toilet tissue	26.55	
Mary Frambach, swimming lessons	85.00	
Linda Gayer, swimming lessons	75.00	
Connie Miner, swimming lessons	30.00	
Kevin P. Grund, beach duty	62.50	
Patricia A. Faneuf, beach duty	10.00	
Sue Earnshaw, beach duty	356.25	
Paul Smith, beach duty	300.00	
Russell Ryan, beach duty	521.25	
John Maloney, beach duty	662.50	
		$ 6,958.33

Detail No. 30
Cemeteries

Donald E. Post, supplies	$ 11.40	
The Suncook Valley Sun, loam bid notice	5.25	
Freedom Construction Co., gravel and loam	500.00	
Laurence Elliott, mowing walks and roadways	75.00	
L. Sherman Elliott, seasonal care	225.00	
		$ 816.65

Detail No. 31
Damages and Legal Expenses

Shute, Engel & Frasier Prof. Assoc., legal services	$520.00	
Maher & Scott, legal services	185.00	
		$ 705.00

Detail No. 32
Timber Tax Deposits

Helen A. Sherman, Tax Collector		
Robert Hoar	$ 260.00	
Melton Tudor	20.40	
David Stimpson	50.00	
Hurd Lumber	604.80	
Candia Lumber Co., Inc.	300.00	
		$ 1,235.20

Detail No. 33
Taxes Bought By Town

Helen A. Sherman, Tax Collector	$ 12,455.89

Detail No. 34
Discounts, Abatements and Refunds

George Godfrey Heirs, 1976 property tax	$ 91.85
John Newman, 1976 property tax	36.90
Guy and Alma Wiggin, 1976 property tax	39.25
Charlene Guptill, 1976 property tax	34.23

Michael and Christine Conway, 1976 property tax	$ 19.03	
John W. and Anna King, 1976 property tax	14.13	
Maurice and Josephine James, 1976 property tax	17.27	
Henry and Adeline Geer, 1976 property tax	6.48	
Douglas Yeaton, 1976 property tax	38.58	
Harriet Peterson, 1976 property tax	12.56	
Kenneth Carlisle, 1976 property tax	30.00	
Robert & Leslie Donahue, 1976 property tax	56.32	
Lawrence Jillette, 1976 property tax	27.48	
Arthur E. Newell, 1976 property tax	30.62	
Frances Pugliese, 1976 property tax	95.77	
Jane F. Smith, 1976 property tax	10.99	
Edward LaShomb, 1976 property tax	44.90	
William and Catherine Kyle, 1976 property tax	109.90	
Mary DeMaggio, 1976 property tax	35.30	
George Benoit, 1976 property tax	7.64	
Randi Fegley, 1976 property tax	25.44	
Frances Riley, 1976 property tax	21.20	
Kennard Goldsmith, 1976 property tax	102.05	
Vincent E. and Phyllis Bane, 1976 property tax	37.60	
Ida Twombly, 1976 property tax	111.32	
Michael J. and Karen Anthony, 1976 property tax	292.81	
Robert Johnson, 1976 property tax	514.96	
Julia and Robert Denvir, reissued 1976 abatement	3.93	(not inc. in total)
James and Julia Kallas, reissued 1976 abatement	3.14	(not inc. in total)
Gordan and Anna Corliss, 1976 property tax	123.08	
John Eddington, 1976 property tax	19.78	
Nicholas P. Fiore, 1976 property tax	109.90	
James R. and Anna M. Logan, 1976 property tax	37.68	
Thomas Bachand, 1976 property tax	9.68	
H. L. Houle and H. F. Juliano, 1976 property tax	3.59	
Herbert Houle, 1976 property tax	1.24	
Lake Shore Farm, Inc., 1976 property tax	58.88	
Ellis and Eloise Ring, 1976 property tax	354.82	
Edward LePage, 1976 property tax	24.82	
Francois Doiron Estate, 1976 property tax	17.32	
John T. and Francis Wiswell, 1976 property tax	35.45	
Carl and Eileen R. Golden, 1976 property tax	22.26	
Raymond F. and Harriet Grady, 1976 property tax	121.99	
Julia and Robert Denvir, 1976 property tax	58.53	
William E. and Myrtle E. Pierce, 1976 property tax	33.80	
Theodore Goot, 1976 property tax	61.43	
William and Rosamond Becker, 1976 property tax.	60.50	
Donald E. Irwin, current land use abatement 1977	208.09	
Hannah Deem, 1977 property tax	191.60	
Doris and George Entwisle, current land use 1977	143.15	
Lisa Peck, 1977 property tax	15.96	
William Birks, 1977 property tax	2.16	
Charles T. and Vivian M. Attardo, 1977 property tax	17.00	
		$ 3,597.37

Detail No. 35
Annie Giles Land Purchase

Annie Giles, final payment with interest	$ 1,060.00

Detail No. 36
Beach Toilets

Triangle Chemical Toilet Co., Inc., 2 wooden toilets		$ 200.00

Detail No. 37
Social Security

Treasurer, State of N.H., quarterly payments	$2,472.30	
Treasurer, State of N.H., administrative costs	9.23	
		$ 2,481.53

Detail No. 38
Recycling

M & M Solid Waste Equipment Co., Inc., containers	$2,450.00	
Postmaster, Town of Northwood, postage	169.00	
Recycling Enterprises, Inc., posters	30.00	
Exeter News-Letter Co., regulations	90.00	
The Suncook Valley Sun, public notice	56.00	
Chase & Sons, stickers	249.49	
		$ 3,044.49

Detail No. 38A
Feasibility Study

Town of Durham, N. H., town's share of study expenses		$ 1,539.00

Detail No. 39
Berry Elm

Bartlett Tree Experts, cabling, spraying		$ 927.00

Detail No. 40
Assessing

Treasurer, State of New Hampshire, 1977 appraisal work		$ 2,430.30

Detail No. 41
Police Radar Unit

Kustom Signals, Inc., radar unit		$ 1,898.00

Detail No. 42
Revenue Sharing

3 M Business Products Sales, Inc., copy machine and stand	$1,654.00	
Microfilm Services, reader-printer, supplies	1,805.27	
Microfilm Services, filming, labeling, storage	2,353.16	
Northwood Fire Department, addition at Ridge	12,000.00	
		$ 17,812.43

Detail No. 43
Temporary Loans

Concord National Bank	$ 80,000.00

Detail No. 44
Interest on Temporary Loans

Concord National Bank	$ 309.88

Detail No. 45
County Tax

Winston H. Lothrop, County Treasurer	$ 50,925.24

Detail No. 45
State Yield Tax

Treasurer, State of N.H., 2% Bond Retirement Tax	$ 359.56

Detail No. 47
New Trust Funds

George A. Johnson and Dorothy I. Hoyt, Foss and Johnson Lot #65, East Northwood	$ 200.00	
Howard M. and J. Pearl Dewey, 1/2 Lot 177 N.W., Pine Grove	120.00	
Lillian A. Foote, Lot #7 N.E. Corner New Fairview	120.00	
Roland Thomas Lot 21 S.E. Corner, New Fairview	120.00	
Hazel M. and Ralph E. Graham Lester Graham Lot #191, Northwood Ridge	200.00	
Julia A. Jeffrey Lot #22 N.E. New Fairview	120.00	
Kenneth C. and Vera C. Crooker, Northwood Ridge Daniel P. Mason & George E. Colcord Lot #89	300.00	
Bertha I. Welch 1/2 Lot #22, Pine Grove	120.00	
Grace A. Bartlett George M. Bartlett Cemetery	150.00	
E. A. Farrow 1/2 Lot #70, Pine Grove	120.00	
Marjorie Perry and Harold S. or Catherine B. Mace 1/2 Lot #45, Pine Grove	120.00	
Charles E. Roberts Lot #190, Pine Grove	200.00	
Viola N. Beauchain Lot #203, Pine Grove	200.00	
Robert A. Low Contribution to C. D. Carlisle Fund	500.00	
		$ 2,590.00

Detail No. 48
Pine Grove Cemetery Trust

Howard M. and J. Pearl Dewey, 1/2 Lot #177 N.W.	$ 85.00	
Charles E. Roberts, Lot #190	150.00	
Viola N. Beauchain, Lot #203	150.00	
		$ 385.00

Detail No. 49
1973 Northwood Bicentennial Fund

A. B. Dick Company, copier rental	$ 223.50	
Charles S. Frary, Sr., peat moss, limestone	51.10	
Postmaster, Town of Northwood, safe	200.00	
3M Business Products, Inc., maintenance contract	170.00	
		$ 644.60

Detail No. 50
Pine Grove Endowment Income

Laurence Elliott, labor	$ 280.00	
George V. Linscott, Trustee of Trust Funds return of balance of account to Trustees	78.97	
		$ 358.97

Detail No. 51
Chesley Memorial Book Fund

Literary Guild	$ 22.33	
Thomas Bouregy & Co., Inc.	44.25	
Apple Tree Book Shop	190.12	
Eastern Book Co.	108.11	
N. H. State Library	35.29	
		$ 400.10

Detail No. 52
A. & A. Caswell Fund

Deanna Smith, labor	$ 40.00

Detail No. 53
Fremont Swain Fund

Cecil W. Temple, labor	$ 47.00

Detail No. 54
Alfred Parsons Book Fund

Literary Guild	$ 8.55	
Weegar-Pride Book Co.	11.52	
		$ 20.07

Detail No. 55
Eugene Grant Fund

Thomas Bouregy & Company, Inc.	$ 17.70	
Weegar-Pride Book Co.	10.23	
Promenade Distributors	4.00	
		$ 31.93

Detail No. 56
Chesley Maintenance Fund

Gladys Gardner, movie projector	$ 500.00

Detail No. 57
Irene Grant Book Fund

Thomas Bouregy & Co., Inc.	$ 17.70	
Apple Tree Book Shop	26.86	
Book Club Associates	7.09	
		$ 51.65

Detail No. 58
Clinton D. Carlisle Fund

Thomas Bouregy & Co., Inc.	$ 8.85	
Literary Guild	9.04	
Eastern Book Co.	12.82	
		$ 30.71

Detail No. 59
Christina Morse Fund

George V. Linscott, Trustee of Trust Funds return of half of income	$ 12.50

Detail No. 60
Capital Reserve - Highway Equipment

George V. Linscott, Trustee of Trust Funds	$ 1,000.00

Detail No. 61
Capital Reserve - Highway Safety Equipment

George V. Linscott, Trustee of Trust Funds	$ 1,000.00

Detail No. 62
SPEDY Program

Joseph Yeazitzis	$ 456.55
Patricia Yeazitzis	396.75
Catherine Yeazitzis	428.95
Deanna Smith	455.40
Mary Lou Tasker	469.20
Tracy Tasker	469.20
Kelley Wentworth	161.00

Esta Downs	$ 457.70	
Jeffrey Neal	358.80	
Michael Corson	358.80	
Robert Corson	276.00	
Charles Boolba	443.90	
		$ 4,732.25

Detail No. 63
SPEDY Supervisor

J. Perry Richardson, wages	$ 951.19	
J. Perry Richardson, truck expenses	8.10	
		$ 959.29

Detail No. 64
Northwood School District

Balance of 1976-77 Appropriation	$293,297.08	
Paid on 1977-78 Appropriation	166,000.00	
		$459,297.08

ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

TOWN OF NORTHWOOD, N. H.

December 31, 1977

Cemetery Funds

Deposited in Amoskeag Savings Bank Manchester, New Hampshire	$ 3,085.13
Deposited in Manchester Federal Savings and Loan Manchester, New Hampshire	953.21
Deposited in New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, New Hampshire	18,404.25
Deposited in The Suncook Bank Suncook, New Hampshire	500.00
Deposited in Concord Savings Bank Concord, New Hampshire	218.33

OTHER FUNDS

Deposited in The Suncook Bank Suncook, New Hampshire	
Capital Reserve Fund (Jenness Pond Beach)	381.52
Arthur & Alice Caswell Fund (Chesley Memorial Library)	500.00
Florence L. Miner Fund (Water System, repair & maintenance)	4,266.31
Alfred L. Parsons Memorial (Book Fund)	383.29
Income Reserve Account No. 24745	3,999.19
Income Reserve Account, Savings Certificate No. 55-1266-0	6,000.00
Deposited in New Hampshire Savings Bank Concord, New Hampshire	
Eugene Grant Memorial Library Fund	550.00
George Woodman Memorial Fund	500.00
Irene Grant Book Fund	1,028.00
Capital Reserve Fund (Highway Equipment Fund, Town of Northwood)	
Savings Certificate No. 73-000097	6,334.11*
Accrued Interest on Account No. 175669	25.92
Clinton D. Carlisle Book Fund	
Savings Certificate No. 75-000767	1,200.00*
Savings Certificate No. 70-306130	500.00*
Savings Account No. 207947	35.00
Chesley Memorial Library, Maintenance and Improvement Fund	4,738.87
Henry Lovejoy Trust Fund	266.15
Trust Fund From Sale of Lots in Pine Grove Cemetery	1,533.24*

* Includes Funds Established in 1977

Deposited in Amoskeag Savings Bank Manchester, New Hampshire	
Electra Cotton Fund	$ 806.03
Deposited in Concord Savings Bank Concord, New Hampshire	
Northwood Bicentennial Fund Savings Certificate No. 2561	5,000.00

ADDITIONAL TRUST FUNDS IN 1977

Town of Northwood, Capital Reserve, Highway Equipment	$ 1,000.00
Trust Fund from Sale of Lots in Pine Grove Cemetery	385.00
Clinton D. Carlisle Book Fund, by Robert A. Low	500.00
School District of Northwood (New School Construction Fund) Savings Certificate No. 75187 at New Hampshire Savings Bank	5,093.97*
Town of Northwood Capital Reserve (Highway Safety Equipment) New Hampshire Savings Bank, Concord, New Hampshire	1,000.00
Town of Northwood Pine Grove Cemetery Endowment Fund, Perpetual Care of Lots in Pine Grove Cemetery. Established from 1977 income from interest of $395.02 and a check from Town of Northwood of $78.97 representing an amount on hand in funds for Pine Grove Cemetery	474.01 #
Charles E. Roberts, Lot #190, Pine Grove Cemetery	200.00
Hazel M. & Ralph E. Graham, Lot #191, Ridge Cemetery	200.00
Foss & Johnson, George Johnson & Dorothy Hoyt Lot #65, East Northwood Cemetery	200.00
Lillian A. Foote, Lot #7 N.E., New Fairview Cemetery	120.00
Howard M. & J. Pearl Dewey, 1/2 Lot #177, N.W., Pine Grove Cemetery	120.00
Roland Thomas, Lot #21, S.E. Corner, Fairview Cemetery	120.00
Julia Ann Jeffrey, Lot #22, N.E., New Fairview Cemetery	120.00
George E. Colcord, Lot #89, Ridge Cemetery By Kenneth & Vera Crooker	300.00
Marjorie Perry, Harold & Catherine Mace 1/2 Lot #45, Pine Grove Cemetery	120.00
E. A. Farrow, 1/2 Lot #70, Pine Grove Cemetery	120.00
Bertha I. Welch, 1/2 Lot #22, Pine Grove Cemetery	120.00
Grace A. Bartlett, George M. Bartlett Cemetery	150.00
Viola N. Beauchain, Lot #203, Pine Grove Cemetery	200.00
Total of New Trust Funds, 1977	$10,068.97

* Includes accumulated interest

\# Fund established from income of Trust Funds

COMMON TRUST INVESTMENT

Puritan Fund (Miner)	987.771 Shares
Puritan Fund (Town)	1,340.776 Shares
National Securities (Dividend Series)	1,829.000 Shares
National Securities (Stock Series)	1,212.000 Shares
National Securities (Income Series)	1,748.000 Shares
Keystone Fund KI	1,048.000 Shares
Keystone Fund B4	968.000 Shares
Putnam Income Fund (Fernald Fund)	845.224 Shares
Eaton & Howard Income Fund	561.133 Shares

CAPITAL GAINS FOR 1977

National Securities (Dividend Series)	17.000 Shares*
National Securities (Stock Series)	17.000 Shares*
National Securities (Income Series)	12.000 Shares*
Puritan Fund (Town)	36.936 Shares*
Puritan Fund (Miner)	27,212 Shares*

* Included in totals of shares above

Capital Gains for 1977, (cash)

National Securities (Dividend Series)	2.78*
National Securities (Stock Series)	3.66*
National Securities (Income Series)	4.04*

*Included in Account #14172 below

Accumulated Capital Gains (Cash) in Suncook Bank Account #14172	758.41

A complete listing of individual funds invested in Common Trust Accounts A & B are shown in the 1972 Northwood Town Report.

FINANCIAL TRANSACTIONS

RECEIPTS

Balance in Suncook Bank, January 1, 1977 Checking Account #01-242-7	$ 1,695.33
Common Trust Investments Income	5,065.85
Concord Savings Bank, Interest Income	423.17
Manchester Federal Savings and Loan, Interest Income	52.13
Amoskeag Savings Bank, Interest Income	169.41
New Hampshire Savings Bank, Interest Income	1,236.37
Suncook Savings Bank, Interest Income	78.40
Town of Northwood, Funds on hand for care of lots in Pine Grove Cemetery	78.97
Town of Northwood, Additional Trust Funds Established in 1977	10,068.97
Florence L. Miner, Well Fund	85.22
Chesley Memorial Library Maintenance and Improvement Fund (Movie Projector)	500.00
Town of Northwood, Overpayment in 1976 on Christina Morse Fund	12.50
Total Receipts	$19,466.32

EXPENDITURES

Safe Deposit Box Rental at New Hampshire Savings Bank	$ 6.00
Public Service Company of New Hampshire (Miner Well)	36.60
Donald E. Post (Miner Well)	48.62
Fernald Church Fund	450.00
L. Sherman Elliott, Care of East Northwood, Northwood Ridge, Harvey Lake, Fairview, Old Northwood Narrows, Canterbury and various small Cemeteries	3,700.00
Donald E. Post, Care of Hoitt Cemetery, Woodman Memorial Site, Flowers and supplies	90.00
Freedom Construction Co., Loam for Cemeteries	165.00
Chesley Memorial Fund	439.00
Arthur & Alice Caswell Fund	28.34
James Bryant Fund	131.70
Fremont Swain Fund	101.16
Alfred Parsons Book Fund	21.72
Eugene Grant Book Fund	30.20
Irene Grant Book Fund	78.64
Christina Morse Fund	17.65
Pine Grove Cemetery Endowment Fund ($78.97 from Town of Northwood, $395.04 from int. on accounts)	474.01
Northwood Bicentennial Fund	411.24
Clinton D. Carlisle Book Fund	110.79
Capital Reserve Fund (Highway Equipment Town of Northwood)	1,000.00
Capital Reserve Fund (Highway Safety Equipment Town of Northwood)	1,000.00
Cemetery Trust Funds (For Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lots)	2,090.00
Sale of Lots in Pine Grove Cemetery	385.00
Chesley Memorial Library, Maintenance and Improvement Fund (Movie Projector)	500.00
Clinton D. Carlisle Book Fund	500.00
School District of Northwood (New School Construction Fund)	5,093.97*
To Income Reserve Account No. 24745 (Credit on Christina Morse Account)	12.50
Balance on Hand, December 31, 1977 in Suncook Bank Checking Account No. 01-242-7	2,544.27
Total Expenditures	$19,466.32

*Includes accumulated interest

A True Record of Account

By: George V. Linscott, Chairman
Trustees of Trust Funds
Town of Northwood, N. H.

REPORT OF TOWN AUDIT

This is to certify that we have examined the records of the Town Clerk, Tax Collector, Selectmen, Trustee of Trust Funds, Revenue Sharing Funds and Treasurer and found them correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

Eleanor T. Pinkham

Walter M. Crandall, Jr.

Auditors

February 15, 1978

We wish to thank the following people who have donated books, magazines and money to the Northwood Libraries:

S. D. Whitaker
The Reckards
Dr. Alfred D. Mihachik
Virginia Sly
Gladys Gardner
M. D. Hinman
Pauline Hammond
Judith H. Carr
Richard Thompson Family
True W. Chesley
Carolyn and Christopher Knox
Carroll Bassett Family
Theodora Grano
Alice M. Strout of Reading, Mass.
Mr. and Mrs. Roland B. Thomas
Elsie Cilley D.A.R.
Inez Young
Evelyn Price
Marion Martell of Ipswich, Mass.
Richard Linnell
H. D. Deem
Mrs. George E. Small
Mrs. Dorothy N. Colprit of Dover
Heidi Buzzell
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crandall
Nancy Villamil
Mrs. E. D. Linnell
Mrs. Paul Longueil
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Holmes
Velma Carll
Miriam Towle

We have purchased a movie projector with money from the Alfred D. Mihachik Library Fund, the Edward Tasker Library Fund and a donation from the organization of O.P.E.N.

Alfred D. Mihachik

Theresa Herron

Virginia E. Sly

Library Trustees

1977 Conservation Commission Report

During 1977 the Northwood Conservation Commission made progress in the acquisition of copies of existing State maps of the Town, and purchased an enlargement to the same scale as the State maps (1000'/1") of the 1957 Soils Survey map of the Soils Conservation Service (SCS). A series of soils maps is to be prepared from this, with very wet and moderately wet soils areas of the town completed already. Arrangements have been made with the SCS for a Wetlands map to be prepared on the same scale.

It was with much pleasure that the Commission received and accepted, with the Board of Selectmen, the first gift ($25.00) to the Northwood Conservation Fund, presented by the Harvey Lake Woman's Club.

The Commission recommended purchase of the Fernald Lot, abutting the town-owned School Lot off Lucas Pond Road, but the recommendation was not accepted by the Budget Committee. The Federal Government would have paid approximately one-half of the purchase price, where the land was to be kept as an open space and recreation area, with timber growing permitted.

Town-owned lands generally have been unmarked on the land. During the summer permanent bounds were placed at corners of the Parsonage Lot on Saddleback Mountain, and the northern section of the School Lot, and the boundaries flagged, in preparation for a natural resource survey by the State Forester.

The Commission had been given management responsibility for the Parsonage Lot and the unleased areas of the School Lot by the Selectmen. Permanent bounds were also placed on the Town land on Jenness Pond abutting Route 107.

The Commission, charged with coordinating conservation activities in the town, convened a meeting of interested groups, and the schools, and sponsored an Arbor Day poster contest in the Elementary School (under Mrs. Eleanor Byrne and Mrs. Carroll Bassett); in addition, three sugar maple trees provided by the Coe-Brown Chapter of FFA under Mr. Karl Polson, were planted on the Town Parade (fertilizer provided in part by Johnson's Dairy Farm), and a white birch donated by Mr. Roy Flister, was also planted there. The planting was done by Northwood Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, the FFA and the Harvey Lake Woman's Club.

Further, sixty seedling shrubs of value to wildlife were planted in a nursery area at the Elementary School by the 6th Grade students under Mr. John Bresnahan, science teacher, for study and further growth.

In observance of Reforestation Week, 200 white pine seedlings were planted at the north (Mountain Road) end of the Parsonage Lot by Cadet Girl Scout Troop 347 under Mrs. Elaine Stimpson, Leader.

As preparation for these plantings, trees on the Town Parade, and the Elementary School grounds, were mapped for site selection and record. An

enlarged contour map of the Parsonage Lot (250'/1") was prepared for study and development planning.

The Commission acted as an Ad Hoc Committee representing the town at Title V, Rural Development Act of 1972 (USA) meetings, in the interests of the Planning Board; and at Commissioners' meetings (Rockingham County) on mosquito control studies in the county.

Under RSA-483-A the Commission approved two dredge and fill permits.

This year the Conservation Commission pays special tribute to one of its members. Charles Frary's interest in nature and belief in conservation cause him to be an invaluable commissioner. His initiative and devotion to the duties of this board has given it new purpose. Hats off to you, Charlie.

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RURAL DISTRICT HEALTH COUNCIL, INC.

The Rural District Health Council, Inc. has experienced another year of growth and expansion of staff.

The skilled nursing remains as the priority service within the agency. The agency's staff also conducts adult health screenings weekly to member towns. This year a new program has been established in New Durham at the elementary school the first Wednesday of each month; the second Wednesday in Farmington Town Hall, the third Wednesday at the Northwood Town Hall, and the fourth Wednesday at the Milton Health Center.

The number of patients enrolled within this program being 429 with an average of 79 patients seen each month. This service is partly funded by the State Council on Aging, Title III and the Rural District Health Council. This program has become a very active one and the Council looks forward to increasing the type of screening in the new year.

The Referral Coordinator at Frisbie Memorial, Mrs. Marie Dexter, R.N. has seen an increase in referrals being made to other Home Health Agencies. With the increase in service and cost of the program the agency looks to other sources for financial help. Mrs. Marie Dexter, R.N. is on the State Discharge Planning Committee.

The agency also participates in the After Care Program in cooperation with the Strafford Guidance, and Seacoast Counseling Centers.

The Council continues Home Health Aide services through the contract with the Strafford County Home Maker, Home Health Aide Association, and also with the two Home Health Aides within the Agency; Gail LaRosa who covers the areas of Farmington, Milton, Middleton, New Durham and Barrington, and Roberta LaFreniere covering the Northwood, Nottingham, Deerfield and Strafford areas. This enables a better utilization of the professional staff while continuing to provide quality care.

The Child Health Program has seen an increase in service within the past year. Miss Arlene Thorne, R.N., coordinator of the program, has been appointed as a member for the State Child Health Conference Committee. This program offers physical examinations, immunizations, teaching and counseling for ages 0-6 years. This is funded in part by the U. S. Dept. of Health, Education and Welfare, N. H. Division of Public Health, Bureau of Maternal and Child Health Grant and the Rural District Health Council. This program has an enrollment of 835 children from 0-6 years of age. This is a costly program as services are provided without charge to the residents. It does provide a needed service to the member towns as transportation is a problem and the services are provided in the areas. The Child Health program also provides home visits when necessary to assure continuity of care. Within this program there is a Dental program provided by the Division of Public Health, Bureau of Dental Health which provides cleaning and fluoride treatment every six months for children ages 3-6 years.

The State has joined forces with the Federal Government to implement an ongoing immunization program for all children ages 0-school. The agency is represented on this Task Force by Ardala Houle, R.N.

Because transportation is a problem in the areas covered by the agency, the Council offered space for the Strafford County Prenatal and Family Planning Clinic to hold a satellite program once a monthat the office, the first one taking place on July 26, 1977. The program is providing a need and sees an increase in service. Throughout the year we have provided home visits to the patients of Strafford County Prenatal and Family Planning Program and the Exeter Area Family Planning Program.

The continued success of the program lies in the dedication of the Agency's personnel, and the capable professional staff assures the availability of quality care. Because of the growth of the agency and the many services provided, it was necessary to appoint Marie Dexter, R.N. as Nursing Supervisor, and Referral Coordinator, and Arlene Thorne, R.N., Maternal and Child Health Coordinator covering all member towns; nurses being Barbara Drew, R.N. Farmington, Mary Timmons, R.N. Milton, Middleton, New Durham, Joanne Pearson, R.N. B.S.N. Northwood, Nottingham, Deerfield. The Council is very fortunate to have Elizabeth Coons, R.N. on the staff covering Barrington and Strafford. Myrtle Walsh, R.N. and Alice Ziegra, R.N. B.S.N. cover when needed. Kathleen Hansen, RPT and Carl Scholls, RPT cover for Physical Therapy.

The office duties are efficiently handled by Eleanor Eaton and June Chase.

With the adoption of a new position and the salaries increased equal to the area, the Council is seeing a marked increase in the budget. The Council finds it necessary to increase the per capita request from each Town to $1.50 in order to continue to provide these greatly needed services.

During the past year the Council has made 402 Skilled Nursing Visits, 160 Home Health Aide Visits, 56 Physical Therapy Visits, and 77 Child Health Visits with a grant total of 695 for the Town of Northwood.

Anyone interested in additional information is urged to contact the Rural District Health Council, Inc., P. O. Box 563, 6 South Main Street, Farmington, New Hampshire 03835. Telephone 755-2202 between the hours of 8 A.M. and 4 P.M., Monday through Friday.

PROJECTED BUDGET FOR 1978

Disbursements	Adopted 1977	Proposed 1978
Salaries	$ 56,000.00	$ 77,719.00
FICA	3,300.00	4,680.00
Travel	11,000.00	13,000.00
PT Expense	4,500.00	5,800.00
Insurance	900.00	2,299.00
Telephone	1,200.00	1,400.00
Rent	1,800.00	2,100.00
Electricity	350.00	450.00
Postage	400.00	300.00
Office Supplies	700.00	1,000.00
Medical Supplies	300.00	400.00
Physicals and Uniforms	360.00	440.00
Dues and Subscriptions	1,159.25	1,300.00
Auditor	600.00	800.00
Continuing Education	400.00	400.00
Public Relations	50.00	300.00
	$ 83,019.25	$112,388.00

Income		
Town Appropriations	$ 22,619.25	$ 26,388.00
Grants	8,500.00	12,000.00
Service Fees	51,400.00	68,540.00
Interest	500.00	-0-
Referral Coordinator	-0-	5,460.00
	$ 83,019.25	$112,388.00

NORTHWOOD FIRE DEPARTMENT

Northwood

New Hampshire 03261

OPEN LETTER TO NORTHWOOD RESIDENTS:

The Northwood Fire Department is facing a problem of notifying firefighters of emergencies in a reliable and efficient manner. This could result in needless loss of property as well as possible life.

To rectify the problem, the department has done much research into alternative methods of notifying firefighters of emergencies. We recommend a Central Dispatch System as the best solution. A Central Dispatch System will provide the most protection for the least cost.

The following report describes the system and why we need Central Dispatch so that we may better protect you. Please take the few minutes to read it. If you have any questions please contact me.

I hope you will support your Fire Department in this endeavor so that we may better protect your life and property. Your support at Town Meeting will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Donald E. Bassett
Chief

January, 1978

A REPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF NORTHWOOD

The Northwood Volunteer Fire Department requests your support so that we may provide the level of fire protection that you should expect and demand. The Fire Department consists of twenty-five to thirty dedicated active members, who provide fire protection by volunteering freely of their time not only at times of emergencies, but also numerous hours of training, maintaining equipment, and working on special projects. The sole reason for the dedication of these men is to benefit you and the town.

Recent years have seen many changes within your Fire Department, including an organized training program as well as an upgrading of equipment. The Town has generously provided us with equipment through our operating budget as well as through support of our Annual Raffle.

The Department faces a problem of effective notification of firefighters of an emergency. After a study of the problem and possible solutions, the best solution would be a modern Central Radio Dispatch System. The implementation of this system would enable us to cut our response time to emergencies as well as assuring that someone would respond 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

The Department is presently using the outdated Red Phone System to alert the Department of an emergency. To illustrate how this system works, lets study a hypothetical fire on Blakes Hill Road using the Red Phone System. The call would come in on phones located in eight locations in Town simultaneously. Those who hear the call, answer and listen to the caller describe the problem. A serious problem exists on weekends and during the day when often only 2 or 3 are able to answer. Another problem is that you could be working in your garden or in the yard when the call comes in and not hear the phone.

Those that do receive the call must then call lists of firefighters repeating the message over and over until the firefighters are notified. If only 2 or 3 people are making the calls, a considerable amount of time can elapse before the entire department is notified. It is also becoming increasingly more difficult to assure that someone will be on the Red Phone since many wives are working.

Once notified of the fire and upon arrival at the scene, if the fire is of sufficient size to warrant additional help, it is necessary to radio back to the station (assuming someone is at the station, and often no one is until several minutes after the initial call) and specify which towns are needed. It is then necessary to individually telephone each town.

This entire process can take many minutes - critical minutes - which are vitally important in effective firefighting. These minutes can cause needless loss of property and life.

Many area towns have seen the need for a more effective system of communications both for alerting firefighters to calls and for Mutual Aid. These towns are centrally dispatched out of Concord on a 24 hour a day, 7 day a week basis. The group is known as the Capital Area Mutual Aid Compact.

To explain this system, let us use the same hypothetical fire on Blakes Hill Road. The caller will dial a Concord phone number, which will be answered by a professional dispatcher who is trained in fire-fighting dispatching. The dispatcher will obtain all necessary information such as name of caller, location of emergency, type of emergency, and any special problems or additional information. All of this information is recorded on tape at the time of the call, which may be played back instantly.

After this information is obtained, the dispatcher presses a button on his console which activates a receiver at the home, or in the car of each firefighter. The dispatcher will then broadcast the call to cal Northwood Firefighters simultaneously. An alert for our hypothetical fire might sould like this:

> FIRE ALARM TO ALL NORTHWOOD RECEIVERS. YOU HAVE A REPORTED STRUCTURAL FIRE ON BLAKES HILL ROAD AT THE JOHN DOE RESIDENCE. BE ADVISED THIS IS THE THIRD HOUSE ON THE LEFT. BLAKES HILL ROAD RUNS SOUTH FROM ROUTE 4 OPPOSITE SHERMAN'S GARAGE. BE ADVISED THAT THERE IS AN INVALID IN THE UPSTAIRS BACK BEDROOM. YOUR TIME OUT IS 11:25.

The entire Department is then able to respond. As soon as someone gets to one of the trucks, he notifies the dispatcher that he is responding. If no one contacts the dispatcher that he is responding, the message is rebroadcasted. If still no response, which although very unlikely, could happen, the nearest town is then dispatched. This assures a response on all emergencies.

It is also possible to arrange that on certain calls, such as Coe-Brown Northwood Academy, to notify not only Northwood Fire Department, but also Epsom and Nottingham at the same time. This is particularly important for high risk fire hazards. This puts men and equipment in service in a minimum of time.

Upon the arrival of the first truck a status report is transmitted to the dispatcher, which is heard by all receivers. This explains the disposition of the fire, for example: smoke showing, false alarm, under control, etc. If the officer in charge feels that Mutual Aid is required, the dispatcher will dispatch additional towns simultaneously, including a truck to cover the station in case of a second fire.

The whole time for this entire sequence of events would be 50% shorter than our present system assuming the Red Phones are fully manned. If only 1 or 2 people are on the Red Phones, the time difference is drastically longer.

I hope you agree with me that the yearly cost of approximately $3,000. for this system, which provides around the clock dispatching, is inexpensive when compared with the possible loss of property or life caused by a single delayed response.

Although not a certainty at this time, it is very probable that within the next year this system will enable those people living from 3 to 5 miles from the stations to receive the same insurance reduction as presently enjoyed by those living within 3 miles.

The one time investment in radio equipment would be obtained from funds raised by the firefighters in our Annual Raffle, as well as from funds from our equipment fund in our operating budget.

The advantages I feel far outweigh the cost of this system and will allow us to better serve you in time of emergencies. I hope you will support the Fire Department at Town Meeting.

If you have any questions or desire additional information on Central Dispatching or the Capital Area Mutual Aid Compact, please contact one of your firefighters. If they are unable to answer your questions, they will refer you to one of the officers who can.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Donald E. Bassett
Chief

REPORT OF DISTRICT FIRE CHIEF

AND TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN

Forest fire control in New Hampshire is a joint state and town/city responsibility (RSA 224).

The Director, Division of Forests and Lands (State Forester) appoints a forest fire warden and several deputy forest fire wardens in each town/city upon the recommendation of local authorities.

The local forest fire warden is responsible for forest fire prevention and suppression activities in his town. He regulates the kindling of outside fires when the ground is not covered with snow by the issuance of written permits only when conditions are safe. He is responsible for suppression with the town/city and state sharing the cost. Suppression costs in excess of 1/4 of 1% of the assessed valuation of the town are assumed by the state.

The state provides training for the local fire organization and helps coordinate activities between towns/cities. The state also supports local forces with backup personnel, equipment, and supplies for suppression and prevention.

This combination of state and local cooperation, started in 1893, works well, for New Hampshire has enjoyed one of the smallest acreage losses due to forest fires in the United States for the past 25 years.

1977 Forest Fire Statistics

	No. of Fires	No. of Acres Burned
State	1,091	2,386
District	262	66.25
Town	2	1.72

Clark M. Davis
District Fire Chief

Carroll L. Bassett
Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1977

1. Report of sale of lots in Town Cemetery, Pine Grove:

1/2 Lot 177 to Howard M. and J. Pearl Dewey	$ 85.00
Lot 190 to Charles Roberts	150.00
Lot 203 to Viola N. Beauchain	150.00

WORK ACCOMPLISHED IN 1977

1. The area to the right of the entrance has been filled and graded, much improving the appearance of this area. The fill and grading program is beginning to greatly improve the entire cemetery and we look forward to the completion this year or next year.

2. We again are pleased with the appearance of the several cemeteries in the town. The mowing and trimming has been accomplished to the maximum extent possible with available funds. Loam was purchased again this year and used to repair and level many sunken graves. Some broken gravestones were also repaired, and many fallen stones were reset.

FUTURE PLANS

1. With the fill and grading program nearing completion we hope to be able to offer single gravesites along the right side of the right roadway as you enter the Pine Grove Cemetery. Many citizens have requested single gravesites in the past, but we have been unable to provide them. The single sites would also eliminate the present practice of selling 1/4 size lots. These 1/4 size lots cause difficulty in placing headstones and in maintenance of a neat orderly cemetery.

GENERAL COMMENT

1. The Trustees are pleased with the response citizens have made in placing their lots in perpetual care and in increasing trusts which had been inadequate. We encourage others who have been unable to do this in the past to give it consideration this year.

2. There are many abandoned lots in the several town cemeteries in which people have been interred, but due to many reasons were not placed in trust. Our caretakers have been caring for these lots without recompense. Should you find that you have funds that you want to put to good purpose, you may want to consider making a general trust fund for the care and maintenance of these abandoned gravesites.

Respectfully submitted,

Lawrence S. Elliott
Donald E. Post
William McGowen

A Petition to the Selectmen of Northwood for an Article to be placed in the 1978 Town of Northwood, N. H. Warrant

We, the undersigned registered voters of Northwood, N.H., hereby petition the Selectmen of the Town of Northwood that an Article be placed in the 1978 Town Warrant to read substantially as follows:

"To see if the Town will vote to remove the so-called Deslaurier Lot on Saddleback Mountain, of 31.2 acres, more or less, bounded and described as follows: southerly by the Town of Deerfield line, easterly by land now or formerly of E. Davis, northerly by land now or formerly of Inland Acres, Inc., and westerly by land now or formerly of R. C. Batchelder, now on the Selectmen's list of Town-owned lands to be sold for taxes, so that it no longer shall be upon said list, but to be held for Town purposes, including recreation, wildlife, conservation and timber-growing purposes, still under control of the Board of Selectmen, or take any other action relative thereto."

Clarence L. Ahlgren
Ronald W. Olmstead
Joann W. Bailey
Alan H. Thomson
Jean W. Lane
Robert E. Bailey
Walter M. Crandall, Jr.
Richard D. Reckard
Blake M. Watson
George W. Carr
Nathalie H. Wall
Douglas V. Briggs
Charles S. Frary, Jr.
Dudley S. Merrill
Barry Leffel
N. James Morse
William G. DeTrude
Alan R. Clark
Charles A. Bailey
Veronica A. Post

We, the undersigned, being legal voters in the Town of Northwood, do hereby petition the Board of Selectmen of said Town of Northwood to place the following Article in the Warrant for the 1978 Annual Meeting:

To see if the Town will vote to establish a Town Administration Study Committee composed of seven (7) members, one to be selected by the Moderator, one by the Selectmen, one by the Budget Committee, one by the School Committee, one by the Planning Board, one by the Conservation Commission and one by the Variance Board, all to be selected by April 1, 1978, to elect their own chairman and secretary from among themselves, to determine whether the Town should utilize an administrator assistant or a shared-administrator assistant, recommend any other changes in the existing Town organization they determine of benefit to the Town, hold hearings and information meetings or combinations thereof to inform the voters on these subjects, and render a written report with their recommendations to the Selectmen by October 1, 1978 who shall in turn prepare any recommended Article for the 1979 Warrant, or take any other action relative thereto.

Clarence L. Ahlgren
Robert E. Bailey
Andrew J. Lane
Charles S. Frary, Jr.
Alan H. Thomson
Keith W. Lidback
James R. Bennett
John Q. White
W. Walter Fiander
Stephen D. Whitaker
Richard G. Puffer
Edith B. Cummings
Joseph Grano
Helen M. Fogg
Deborah E. Watson
Walter M. Crandall, Jr.
Charles B. Johnson
Ronald W. Olmstead
Joan Beck
Carroll L. Bassett
Arlene F. Bassett
Marilyn R. Low
Richard D. Reckard
Ellis A. Ring
Kathryn White
Mearl C. Strachan
Lulu Swanfeldt
Joan Cole
John B. Maloney, Jr.
Gardner W. Mills
Nathalie Wall

We, the undersigned, being legal voters in the Town of Northwood, do hereby petition the Board of Selectmen of said Town of Northwood to place the following Article in the Warrant for the Annual Meeting in 1978:

To see if the Town will vote to limit the pay of the Selectmen to One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.) annually and limit the pay of the Chairman of the Board to Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1,500.) annually, or take any other action relative thereto.

James R. Bennett
Arlene F. Bassett
Carroll L. Bassett
Ronald W. Olmstead
Keith W. Lidback
John Q. White
Alan H. Thomson
Stephen D. Whitaker
Richard G. Puffer
Edith B. Cummings
Watson Baker
Virginia C. Baker
Alice M. Thomas
Roland B. Thomas
Deborah E. Watson
Gardner W. Mills
Charles B. Johnson
Clarence L. Ahlgren
W. Walter Fiander
Robert E. Bailey
Joann W. Bailey
Walter M. Crandall, Jr.
Richard D. Reckard
Ellis A. Ring
Kathryn White
Mearl C. Strachan
Lulu Swanfeldt
Joan Cole
Joseph Grano
Theodora Grano
Helen M. Fogg
Nathalie Wall

November 28, 1977

We the undersigned, being registered voters in the Town of Northwood, N.H. petition the Town of Northwood for a reclassification from Class Six (6) to Class Five (5) of that portion of the Old Deerfield Road (approx. 1000') between the present end of its Class Five (5) and the driveway to the permanent residence of Leo W. and Doris M. Dagenais.

Leo W. Dagenais
Doris M. Dagenais
Renee C. Wormell
William T. Wormell
Thomas J. Dale
Margaret J. Dale
Walter Pinkham
William McGowen
John A. Dodge
Mearl C. Strachan
Roscoe P. DeMeritt
James R. Barnes
Lynda A. Barnes
Francis D. Bernier

November 28, 1977

We the undersigned, being registered voters in the Town of Northwood, N.H. petition the Town of Northwood, N.H. for improvements to that section of Old Deerfield Road (approx. 1000') between the present end of its Class Five (5) and the driveway leading to the permanent residence of Leo W. and Doris M. Dagenais. Said improvements requiring repairs to old drainage ditching and some gravel on road surface and one culvert.

Leo W. Dagenais
Doris M. Dagenais
William T. Wormell
Renie C. Wormell
Thomas J. Dale
Margaret J. Dale
Walter Pinkham
William McGowen
John A. Dodge
Mearl C. Strachan
Roscoe P. DeMeritt
Lynda A. Barnes
James R. Barnes
Francis D. Bernier

PETITION

We the undersigned, being registered voters in the Town of Northwood, New Hampshire, petition the Town of Northwood for a reclassification from Class six (6) to Class five (5) of that portion of Upper Deerfield Road, between the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mello and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grondin.

November 26, 1977

Jean E. Grondin
Albert A. Grondin
Sandra J. Wilson
Bunny Behm
David Behm
Jon Hopkins
B. L. Mason
Charlotte Mason
Bruce W. Young
Norene S. Sauls
John E. Sauls
Ora Barr
David Barr
Karl Diller
Ann Diller

PETITION

We the undersigned, being registered voters in the Town of Northwood, New Hampshire, petition the Town of Northwood for a sum of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000) for the repair of that section of Upper Deerfield Road between the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Mello and the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grondin.

November 26, 1977

Jean E. Grondin
Albert A. Grondin
Sandra J. Wilson
Bunny Behm
David Behm
J. T. Hopkins
B. L. Mason
Charlotte Mason
Bruce W. Young
Norene S. Sauls
John E. Sauls
Ora Barr
David Barr
Karl Diller
Ann Diller

We the undersigned, being registered voters in the Town of Northwood, request that the following article be placed in the 1978 Town Warrant:

"That the sum of $1,000.00 be raised to support the Family Center and Children's Village."

Marilyn M. Reed
Shirley Carozza
Betsy Colburn
Pamela J. Duffy
Diane R. Robinson
Marion J. Knox
Gladys Gardner
Brian C. Duffy
Anna B. Polson
Herbert Reed

The names appearing below are petitioning the Town of Northwood to continue maintaining the roads involved in said area, better known as Cole's development. In the definition of maintaining roads, let it be brought to the attention of the Road Maintenance Department, that summer grading and hole filling etc., can and will be accomplished by the signers of this petition. The main object is snow plowing and when necessary sanding, which must be brought to your attention, that in spite of a rough winter, sanding was only necessary twice. I, for one would not have put my life's savings to make a home here if I had not been led to believe that I would be plowed. I, and I am sure all of the people involved, believe that getting no other service for our taxes, should at least get plowed. The irony of this situation is that a percentage of our tax money is allotted to fire department and police department, etc., how, if ever the need arises, can we receive any help from services if they cannot get into the area.

We believe that three miles of snow plowing is a good investment by the town.

G. Houle

Genevieve Houle
Marjorie Faherty
John S. Faherty
Mr. & Mrs. Wm. R. Sorel
Allen Arbogast
Barbara Hopkins
Frank Hopkins
Nancy T. Borders
Fred Borders
Victor E. LaSalle
Regina LaSalle
William F. Pierce
Muriel G. Pierce

Lena Parker
Pauline LaCasse
John E. Gunther
Marie R. Gunther
Edward G. Houle
Linda S. Houle
Mr. & Mrs. R. Mahoney
Francis Kimball
Ralph E. Kimball
Alfred R. Pierce
Richard D. Pierce
Sarolyn C. Pierce
Pauline Pantelopoulos
Mary P. Geaney

Mrs. T. Warren
Mr. & Mrs. Roger Blad
Florant Demers
Yvonne Demers
R. J. Buchan
Mr. & Mrs. William Spaulding
Rita Buchan
Denise J. Buchan
Irene Saipe
Pauline F. Blood
Elaine Boucher
Michael J. Geaney

PETITION

We, the undersigned, being legally registered voters in the Town of Northwood, New Hampshire petition the Board of Selectmen to place the following article in the Town Warrant 1978.

"To see if the Town will vote to require the Selectmen to establish a policy of publicly advertising in at least two (2) local newspapers, and obtaining a minimum of three (3) bids in writing, for all services, materials, and equipment needed by the Town which cost in excess of $200.00

"Also, to establish a policy that local businesses providing such services, materials, and equipment be directly notified and to have first consideration."

Veronica A. Post	Marilyn M. Reed
Phyllis M. Smith	Robert A. Herron
Cheryl M. Wolf	Gertrude Gasper
Doris L. Bennett	James Gasper
Norene S. Sauls	Donald E. Post
John E. Sauls	James R. Bennett
Peggy Yeazitzis	Theresa C. Herron
Judith W. Gammon	Charles A. Bailey

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

On behalf of the residents of Northwood, the Selectmen wish to express their appreciation to the following persons who contributed considerable time and effort on community projects:

JOANN W. BAILEY and JEAN G. JOHNSON

for their work in connection with the preservation of town records.

CHARLES S. FRARY

for beautification of the Town Parade by arranging for tree planting and their subsequent care.

Annual Report

of the

School District

of

Northwood

New Hampshire

For the Year Ending June 30, 1977

OFFICERS OF THE NORTHWOOD SCHOOL DISTRICT

1977-1978

School Board

Thomas Madson	Term Expires 1978
James Bennett	Term Expires 1979
Nathalie Wall	Term Expires 1980

Superintendent of Schools

Barry L. Clough, B.Ed., M.A., M.Ed.

Assistant Superintendent

Bernard R. Davis, B.A.,M.A., C.A.G.S.

Treasurer

Constance R. Linnell

Moderator

Robert A. Johnson

Clerk

Jean W. Lane

Auditors

Arlene W. Johnson
W. Walter Fiander

Truant Officer

Jane Boolba

School Nurse

Carline Kallgren, R. N.

1977 SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING REPORT

March 5, 1977

The School District Meeting was called to order at 2:15 P.M. at the Northwood Elementary School, by Moderator Robert Johnson. Mr. Johnson explained the error made in printing of the ballots for officers, explaining that Article 7, last year, to elect auditors for two year terms, starting with the election of 1977. The first year, one auditor will be elected for a one year term, one auditor for a two year term; thereafter, the District will elect one auditor each year for a two year term. New ballots will be printed and ready for Election Day, March 8, 1977. Mr. Johnson then read the School Warrant for this year.

Article 1 - To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the District.

Mr. Carroll Bassett, Budget Committee Chairman, moved that the sum of $850.00 be raised. A verbal vote was taken and the article was adopted by an affirmative vote.

Article 2 - To hear reports of agents, auditors, committees or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Thomas Madson made a motion that this article be accepted. Seconded by Carroll Bassett. Article was adopted by an affirmative vote.

Article 3 - To choose agents and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Thomas Madson requested that this article be closed as no special committees were appointed. Verbal adoption.

Article 4 - To see what sum of money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

Thomas Madson asked to have this article temporarily postponed. This was seconded by Donald Post. This article will be brought up after Article 9.

Article 5 - To see if the District will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive and expend, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now and/or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government and/or State agencies.

Mrs. Theresa Herron moved that this article be adopted as read. This was seconded by Mr. Post. Verbally adopted.

Article 6 - To see if the District wishes to exclude from its Social Security plan service performed by election officials or election workers for each calendar quarter in which the remuneration paid for such services is less than $50.00.

This was explained by Thomas Madson that this pertained to the Clerk, Moderator, etc., where the amount is so small. Mrs. Herron moved that this article be accepted as read. Seconded by Mr. Herron. A verbal adoption.

Article 7 - To see if the District will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00) from the unencumbered balance at the end of the 1976-77 fiscal year. Said sum of money is to establish a capital reserve fund in accordance with the privisions of R.S.A. 35, for the purpose of replacing the heating system of the Northwood Elementary School.

Thomas Madson explained that the heating system was in need of major repairs, and this was very evident as the school was quite cold at the time of this meeting. John Lane recommended that this article be amended to include funds for a new furnace. Don Post made this a motion. This was seconded by Mr. Lane. Perry Richardson mentioned that Coe-Brown Academy had to have a new furnace recently, and the cost was about $12,000.00. Moderator Johnson called for a short recess to discuss the issue with the School Board Members. After much discussion, Mr. Madson made an amendment. He moved that the Northwood School Board be instructed to encumber $5,000.00 from the anticipated surplus of this budget as of June 30, 1977, and to see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $10,000.00 for the purpose of repairing and for replacing the heating system of the Northwood Elementary School. A Yes - No vote was taken by show of hands. Yes - 58, No - 0.

Article 8 - To see if the District will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed five thousand dollars ($5,000.00) from the unencumbered balance at the end of the 1976-77 fiscal year. Said sum of money is to establish a capital reserve fund in accordance with the provisions of R.S.A. 35, for the purpose of financing all or part of the cost of new construction for the school district.

Mr. Madson made an amendment to this article: "that this money not be expended by the School Board without a direct vote of the Townspeople at a School District Meeting." This motion was made by Mr. Madson and seconded by Mrs. Post. A vote was taken by a show of hands. Yes - 53 No - 4 Motion prevails.

Article 9 - We the undersigned, do hereby request the District to accept responsibility of transporting high school students of Northwood to approved public or private institutions where 15 or more Northwood students attend and that the School Board determine appropriate charges to minimize cost to the District. (By Petition)

This article created much discussion, and Moderator Johnson felt he should step down from his post and swear in Selectman True Chesley to serve as Moderator in order to avoid any possible conflict of interest, since he is so closely affiliated with Coe-Brown Northwood Academy. After extended debate, Mrs. Marion Knox made an amendment to this article that it be rewritten, by striking the words "15 or more students." The amendment was passed. Yes - 17 No - 14. Mr. Johnson asked for a vote of the article after it was rewritten. This was defeated by a vote of No - 47 Yes - 13.

Article 4 - This article was brought up again and Carroll Bassett, Chairman of the Budget Committee, read the line items of the recommended budget. Teachers' salaries were increased from the Budget Committee's recommendation of $188,305.00 to $190,611.00 in order to have a two day a week music program and a learning disability specialist. Mr. Madson purposed another increase in school salaries to $194,607.00. This was defeated by a vote of Yes - 19, No - 23 (a show of hands).

Motion did not prevail. Student activity fund was increased $940.00 (from $2,200.00 to $3,140.00), by a vote of hands Yes - 25, No - 9. The total Budget passed was $553,746.00, up from the recommended $540,500.00 by the Budget Committee, an increase of $22,384.00 from last year's total appropriation.

Article 10 - To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Mrs. Joann Bailey made a motion that next year's annual meeting begin at 1:00 P.M. instead of 2:00 P.M. This motion was made and passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:10 P.M.

A true copy Attest:

Jean W. Lane, Clerk

SCHOOL WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Northwood qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 14th day of March 1978, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing one year.
5. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
6. To choose Auditors, and all other necessary officers and agents for the ensuing year.

Given under our hands at said Northwood this 14th day of February 1978

THOMAS B. MADSON
JAMES R. BENNETT School Board
NATHALIE WALL

A true copy of Warrant -- Attest:

THOMAS B. MADSON
JAMES R. BENNETT School Board
NATHALIE WALL

SCHOOL WARRANT

The State of New Hampshire

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Northwood qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Northwood School in said district on the 11th day of March 1978, at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

2. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To choose agents and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

4. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district.

5. To see if the district will authorize the School Board to make application for and to receive and expend, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid, or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government and/or state agencies; private agencies and/or other sources.

6. To see if the district will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed five thousand dollars ($5,000.00) from the unencumbered balance at the end of the 1977-78 fiscal year. Said sum of money is to be deposited in a capital reserve fund in accordance with the provisions of R.S.A. 35 for the purpose of financing all or part of the cost of new construction for the school district.

7. To transact any other business which may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Northwood this 14th day of February 1978.

Thomas B. Madson
James R. Bennett School Board
Nathalie Wall

A true copy of Warrant -- Attest:

Thomas B. Madson
James R. Bennett School Board
Nathalie Wall

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF NORTHWOOD

1978 - 1979

Purposes of Appropriation

	Approved Budget 1977-78	Recommended Budget 1978-79	Submitted Without Recommendation
Administration:			
Salaries	$ 1,297.00	$ 1,297.00	$
Contracted Services	1,326.00	2,524.00	
Other Expenses	1,650.00	700.00	
Instruction:			
Salaries	190,611.00	195,608.00	
Textbooks	1,900.00	2,500.00	
Library & Audiovisual Mat.	2,200.00	2,150.00	
Teaching Supplies	8,500.00	9,600.00	
Contracted Services	1,560.00	2,105.00	
Other Expenses	800.00	900.00	
Attendance Services:	130.00	65.00	
Health Services:	11,139.00	11,596.00	
Pupil Transportation:	26,010.00	25,980.00	
Operation of Plant:			
Salaries	9,970.00	9,500.00	
Supplies	1,600.00	1,800.00	
Contracted Services	825.00	470.00	
Heat	2,100.00	8,400.00	
Utilities	6,825.00	5,325.00	
Maintenance of Plant:	19,720.00	6,885.00	
Fixed Charges:			
Employees Retirement & F.I.C.A.	20,073.00	23,750.00	
Insurance	6,060.00	5,027.00	
School Lunch & Spec. Milk Program:	13,500.00	19,000.00	
Student-Body Activities:	3,140.00	3,540.00	
Capital Outlay:			
Equipment	2,830.00		
Debt Service:			
Principal of Debt	5,000.00	5,000.00	
Interest on Debt	555.00	370.00	

Outgoing Transfer Accounts in State:			
Tuition	177,016.00	205,000.00	
Transportation	8,179.00	9,968.00	
Supervisory Union Expenses	11,610.00	14,230.00	
Other Expenses	12,000.00		
Expenditures to Other Than Public Schools:	4,620.00	11,400.00	
Total Appropriations	$558,746.00	$584,690.00	$

REVENUES & CREDITS AVAILABLE TO REDUCE SCHOOL TAXES

Unencumbered Balance:	$ 35,303.00	$
Revenue from State Sources:		
Sweepstakes	7,038.00	7,038.00
School Building Aid	2,333.00	2,333.00
Foster Children Aid	200.00	400.00
Revenue from Federal Sources:		
Vocational Ed. Transportation		1,730.00
School Lunch & Sp. Milk Program	12,000.00	17,500.00
P.L. 874 (Imp. Area-Cur. Oper.)	3,000.00	2,000.00
Federal Funds C.B.N.A.	12,000.00	
Total School Revenues and Credits	$ 71,874.00	$ 31,001.00
District Assessment	$ 486,872.00*	$553,689.00*
Total Appropriations	$ 558,746.00	$584,690.00
*Payment in lieu of taxes included	8,523.00	8,949.00

FINANCIAL REPORT

New Hampshire State Department of Education

1976 - 1977

Northwood School District

For the Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 1976
and ending June 30, 1977

RECEIPTS

Revenue from Local Sources:	
Current Appropriation	$452,297.08
Rent	445.00
Filing Fees	6.00
Revenue from State Sources:	
School Building Aid	$ 2,332.50
Vocation School Aid	911.36
Sweepstakes	14,511.82
Foster Children Aid	200.00
Mileage for Vocational Students	823.04
Revenue from Federal Sources:	
Vocational Education	$ 6,930.53
School Lunch and Milk Program	14,819.94
Public Law 874	1,481.14
Received from Refunds, etc.	$ 2,916.09
Total Net Receipts from all sources	$497,674.50
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1976	38,275.60
Grand Total Net Receipts	$535,950.10

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

EXPENDITURES

Acct. No.		
	ADMINISTRATION:	
110.1	District Officers Salaries	$ 1,120.00
135	Contracted Services	1,139.00
190	Other District Expenses	972.11
	INSTRUCTION:	
210.1	Principal's Salary	14,478.00
210.3	Teachers' Salaries & Course Reimbursements	148,868.32
210.4	Substitutes' Salaries	1,565.00
210.5	Secretary's Salary	3,880.00
210.9	Music Teacher	3,734.00
215	Textbooks	2,865.05
220	Library & Audio Visual	1,974.03
230	Teaching Supplies	10,896.91
235	Contracted Services	944.40
290	Other Expenses	897.29
310	Truant Officer's Salary	18.30
	HEALTH SERVICES:	
410	Salaries	10,275.00
430	Supplies and Mileage	372.61
	TRANSPORTATION:	
535	Contracted Services	22,950.00
	OPERATION OF PLANT:	
610	Custodians' Salaries	9,450.00
630	Supplies, except Utilities	2,102.28
635	Contracted Services	675.30
640	Heat	6,949.46
645	Utilities, except Heat	3,177.71
	MAINTENANCE OF PLANT:	
725	Replacement of Equipment	1,732.85
726	Repairs to Equipment	510.49
735	Contracted Services	9,198.88
766	Repairs to Building	253.13
	FIXED CHARGES: District's Contributions	
850.1	State Employees' Retirement	3,958.63
850.3	F.I.C.A.	11,099.80
850.4	Blue Cross/Blue Shield	1,745.84
855	Insurance	574.00

	SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM:	
975.1	Federal Monies Transferred	$ 14,819.94
975.2	District Monies	151.81
	STUDENT BODY ACTIVITIES:	
1010	Salaries	1,363.00
1075	Expenditures	1,735.30
	CAPITAL OUTLAY:	
1266	Buildings	7,520.00
1267	Equipment	3,922.42
	DEBT SERVICE:	
1370	Paid on Principal	5,000.00
1371	Interest on Dept	740.00
	EXPENDITURES TO OTHER SCHOOLS:	
1477.10	Tuition to other school districts	29,648.45
1477.11	Tuition to Public Academies	130,850.23
1477.2	Transportation	4,638.09
1477.3	District Share of Union Expenses	6,680.55
1477.5	Payments into Capital Reserve Funds	5,000.00
1477.9	Other In-State Expenditures	6,930.53
1479.1	Tuition to Private Schools	3,347.20
1479.2	Transportation	3,604.80
Total Net Expenditures for all purposes		$504,330.75*
Cash on Hand at end of year, June 30, 1977		28,703.26*
Grand Total Net Expenditures		$533,034.01
Refunds		2,916.09+
		$535,950.10

+ Refunds in the amount of $2,916.09 were applied to decrease the following line items:

#190.1	$ 20.37
#230	29.40
#630	13.00
#855	11.00
#975.2	1,500.00
#1477.3	1,342.32
	$2,916.09

* This financial statement is from the F-3 form filed with the Department of Revenue Administration after the end of the fiscal year (June 30, 1977). In late September, the Municipal Services Division of the Department of Revenue Administration disallowed $6,600. of pre-payments the School District had made. This would change these figures to:

TOTAL NEW EXPENDITURES FOR ALL PURPOSES	$497,730.75
CASH ON HAND AT END OF YEAR, JUNE 30, 1977	$ 35,303.26

TEACHERS' SALARIES

1976-1977

Arlene Bassett, Aide	$ 3,440.00
Vickie I. Benner, Aide	2,500.00
John B. Bresnahan, Science	9,994.92
Eleanor Byrne, Art	1,950.00
Barbara G. Fraser, Grade 1	10,050.00
Joanne Grossblatt, Spec. Ed.	8,950.00
Virginia G. Gustafson, Grade 3	8,025.00
Rebecca J. Hackman, Grade 4	8,550.00
S. Thomas Hall, Social Studies	8,025.00
Bonita D. Hibbard, Language, Arts	11,025.00
David H. Hinman, Grade 4	9,750.00
Albertina Hoogeveen, Grade 1	10,500.00
Marlene Kenney, Language Arts	9,000.00
Eleanor M. Loewer, Grade 5	10,650.00
Susan E. Mulhearn, Math	11,715.00
Eva O. Pollard, Grade 2	10,650.00
Pamela Thayer, Grade 2	10,238.00
Pamela A. Mast, Speech Clinician	1,500.12
Marie-Louise Olsen, French	350.00

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Year Ending June 30, 1976

Treasurer's Financial Report

Current Appropriations	$452,297.08
Revenue from State Sources	19,967.59
Revenue from Federal Sources	20,561.60
Received from all other sources	4,848.23
Cash on hand, July 1, 1976	38,275.60
Total Receipts	$535,950.10
Less School Board Orders	507,246.84
Balance on Hand, June 30, 1977 (Treasurer's Bank Balance)	$ 28,703.26

Respectfully submitted,

Constance R. Linnell,
School District Treasurer

NORTHWOOD SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

Financial Statement

1976 - 1977

Balance - July 1, 1976		$ 2,521.29
Receipts:		
State and Federal Reimbursements		
Balance of 1975-76	$ 2,139.60	
1976-77	12,573.51	
District Appropriation	1,500.00	
Lunch Sales:		
Adult	976.40	
Children	9,070.67	
Milk Sales:		
Adult	78.10	
Children	445.66	
Sale of Freezer	50.00	
Total Receipts:		$26,833.94
Total Available		$29,355.23
Expenditures:		
Food	$13,324.51	
Labor	7,933.64	
Equipment (inc. walk-in freezer & mixer)	4,838.75	
Expendable Supplies	237.50	
Miscellaneous	2,438.62	
Total Expenditures:		$28,773.02
Balance - July 1, 1977		$ 582.21

Other Program Resourses:

U.S.D.A. Commodities Received (Wholesale)	$ 3,492.40

BALANCE SHEET

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1977

Assets:	
Cash in bank	$ 582.21
Accounts Receivable:	
Reimbursements (State and Federal)	3,090.91
Food and Supply Inventory	2,226.92
Total Assets	$5,900.04
Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable	$ None
Working Capital	5,900.04
Total Liabilities plus Working Capital	$5,900.04

Grace L. Parsons

Bookkeeper

SCHOOL AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to certify that we, the undersigned, auditors of the School District of Northwood, have examined the books, receipts and vouchers of the School Treasurer and find them correct to the best of our knowledge.

W. Walter Fiander
Arlene W. Johnson
Auditors
Northwood School District

July, 1977

This is to certify that we, the undersigned, auditors of the School District of Northwood, have examined the books, receipts and vouchers of the School Lunch Program and find them to be correct to the best of our knowledge.

W. Walter Fiander
Arlene W. Johnson
Auditors
Northwood School District

July, 1977

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT AND
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of the Northwood School District:

When School opened in September, 1977, the Northwood Elementary School was organized as indicated below:

Employee	Assignment
Mr. Thomas Conway	Principal
Miss Barbara Frasier	Grade 1
Mrs. Albertina Hoogeveen	Grade 1
Miss Nancy Osborne	Grade 2
Mrs. Eva Pollard	Grade 2
Miss Virginia Gustafson	Grade 3
Miss Susan Croft	Grade 4
Mrs. Mary Anne Bruce	Grade 5
Mrs. Eleanor Loewer	Grade 5
Mrs. Susan Mulhearn	Math
Mr. John Bresnahan	Science
Mr. David Bragdon	Music - part-time
Mr. S. Thomas Hall	Social Studies
Mrs. Bonita Hibbard	Language Arts
Miss Marlene Kinney	English
Mrs. Eleanor Byrne	Art - part-time
Mrs. Anne Grabowski	Learning Disabilities
Mrs. Joanne Grossblatt	Special Education
Mrs. Pamela Stegerwald	Speech Therapist
Mrs. Carline Kallgren	School Nurse
Mrs. Arlene Bassett	Teacher Aide
Mrs. Jane Bates	Teacher Aide
Mrs. Ruth Hubner	Secretary
Mrs. Laura Josiah	Lunch Supervisor
Mrs. Kathleen Bernier	Lunch Worker
Mrs. Lorraine Colby	Lunch Worker
Mr. Edward Danilowski	Custodian
Miss Jan Wilhelm	Reading*

*Funded as part of the Joint Project under Title I for Barrington, Northwood, Nottingham and Strafford.

The enrollment by grades in the Northwood Elementary School at the opening of school was as indicated on the chart below:

Grade	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Total
Number	35	43	26	29	45	35	34	49	296

Northwood pupils attending secondary schools at district expense are listed below:

School Attended	Special	Grade 9	10	11	12	Total	Tuition Rate
Coe-Brown Academy		23	27	34	20	104	$1249.00
Dover High School	1	10	3	3	2	19	1270.00
Dover Vocational	1	1	2	2	2	8	1270.00
Oyster River			1	2		3	1346.00
Concord Development	2					2	1061.00
Great Bay	3					3	1675.00
Totals	7	34	33	41	24	139	

The Supervisory Union Office has undergone extensive reorganization this past year with the specific objective being the improvement of services available to the School District in Supervisory Union #44. Improvements in the bookkeeping procedures for Federal funds and re-structuring the secretarial staff are examples of this reorganization. Other changes include the selection by the Supervisory Union School Board of Mr. Bernard R. Davis as our new Assistant Superintendent effective July 25, 1977. The position of Special Education Coordinator was created for the first time this year and Miss Sally D. Butler was selected for this position effective August 1, 1977. Her duties include working with Special Education teachers in each School District, monitoring out-of-district pupil placements, serving as liaison with the Strafford Learning Center and as the Supervisory Union's contact person with the Special Education section in the State Department of Education. As I indicated in last year's report, Public Law 94-142 is and will continue to have far reaching impact on local School District budgets. Miss Butler's position has become necessary due to the voluminous paperwork mandated by this new Federal legislation.

This year a new teacher evaluations process was adopted by the Supervisory Union School Board. The development of this process represented many hours of effort by a sub-committee composed of teachers, administrators and a School Board representative. The development of this new process reflects the increased emphasis placed on evaluating the learning process throughout the Supervisory Union. During the 1975-76 school year 165 teacher evaluations were completed throughout the Union. Last year that figure increased to 209 evaluations and as of February 6, 1978, 207 evaluations have been completed.

In addition to increased emphasis on teacher evaluations many hours have been devoted by School Board members and administration to refining and updating school board policies in the individual districts. Northwood is no exception. Clearly stated board policies provide clear direction to the principal and staff concerning the operation of the school. I commend the Northwood School Board for accomplishing the task of updating the School Board policies in a thoughtful and productive fashion.

Curriculum development and refinement has been an objective of Mr. Conway's and the teachers this year. They have been working diligently in this area and have continued to improve the educational opportunities available to the children of Northwood. This effort represents a State-wide

trend to have local School District's identify meaningful guidelines to be used in developing on going processes which will: a) identify educational objectives, b) identify student outcome, c) identify curriculum modification and d) developing effective testing procedures.

In summary, we wish to express our appreciation to the members of the School Board, the teachers, pupils and citizens for the cooperation exhibited during the past year. We look forward to a long and productive relationship in which our mutual goal will continue to be the best possible education for our young people.

Respectfully submitted,

Barry L. Clough
Superintendent

Bernard R. Davis
Assistant Superintendent

SALARY OF SUPERINTENDENT AND

ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

1976-1977

(R.S.A. Chapter 189:48 -- New Hampshire Laws)

School District	% Local Share	Superintendent	Assistant Superintendent
Barrington	12.875	$ 2,038.54	$ 2,011.07
Farmington	24.515	3,881.54	3,829.24
Middleton	1.855	293.71	289.75
Milton	16.045	2,540.46	2,506.23
Northwood	11.83	1,873.09	1,847.85
Nottingham	9.165	1,451.13	1,431.57
Strafford	8.23	1,303.08	1,285.53
Wakefield	15.485	2,451.79	2,418.76
	100.000	$15,833.34	$15,620.00
State's Share		2,500.00	2,380.00
Total		$18,333.34	$18,000.00

NORTHWOOD

Teachers' Contracted Salaries

1977-1978

David Bragdon (part-time)	$ 3,238.00
John Bresnahan	10,716.00
Mary A. Bruce	13,110.00
Eleanor Byrne	2,068.00
Thomas Conway	15,389.00
Susan Croft	7,600.00
Barbara Fraser	10,716.00
Ann Grabowski (part-time)	3,831.00
Joanne Grossblatt	10,534.00
Virginia G. Gustafson	8,588.00
S. Thomas Hall	8,588.00
Bonita Hibbard	11,651.00
Albertina Hoogeveen	11,096.00
Marlene Kinney	10,055.00
Carline Kallgren	11,096.00
Eleanor Loewer	11,248.00
Pamela Stegerwald (Part-time)	4,857.00
Susan Mulhearn	12,373.00
Nancy J. Osborne	8,360.00
Eva O. Pollard	11,248.00

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

To the Northwood School Board and Citizens of Northwood:

We have made no serious changes in our curriculum this past year. If anything, we have maintained our desire to concentrate on the basics throughout the school. Along with this approach we have been able to add a federally-funded Title I Reading Supervisor who works with students that are having reading difficulties.

The new federal guidelines on the education of handicapped children will have a strong influence on our programming in future years. Presently, we have a Speech Clinician, Learning Disabilities Specialist, and a Special Education Teacher on our staff. Thus, we are able to educate all our children at our own school unless their disability is of a serious nature.

The present enrollment is as follows:

Grade 1 - 35	Grade 5 - 48
Grade 2 - 46	Grade 6 - 38
Grade 3 - 27	Grade 7 - 35
Grade 4 - 29	Grade 8 - 49

A total of 307 pupils.

We still have 14 full-time teachers, 1 full-time nurse, 2 full-time teacher aides, 1 part-time music teacher and 1 part-time art teacher. Mrs. Ann Grabowski, LD Specialist, and Mrs. Pamela Stagerwald, Speech Clinician, are again teaching part-time. New staff members added to our faculty this year are as follows:

Miss Nancy Osborne	-	Grade 2
Miss Suzan Croft	-	Grade 4
Mrs. Mary A. Bruce	-	Grade 5
Mrs. Jane Bates	-	Teacher Aide
Miss Janel Wilhelm	-	Title I Reading Specialist

Mrs. Laura Josiah is the new Hot Lunch Manager, and with the help of Mrs. Kathleen Bernier and Mrs. Lorraine Colby, continue to serve nutrious lunches for only 35¢ per day.

Mr. Danilowski and Mr. Carpenter assumed the custodial duties as of January 1st and are doing a fine job. We wish to extend our thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Lovely for their work of the past and wish them good luck in their future.

We have maintained our extra-curriculum program in athletics and music. Presently, we have 45 girls and 65 boys involved in after-school athletic programs. Mr. Bragdon has extended his music program this year to include the entire student body.

Some improvements were made in the school building over the summer vacation. New carpeting was installed in some of the classrooms and in the upper hall. The auditorium has been dressed up with new draperies and stage

curtain. We had a new heating system installed throughout the school which is providing much improved heating this winter. The children are now able to enjoy their lunches in the cafetorium as we have purchased new collapsible cafeteria tables.

We were very pleased with the graduating class of 1977. This particular group scored well over the grade norms established for the S.R.A. Testing Program, and I find that many of them are excelling at the high schools that they attend.

In closing, may I again thank the citizens of Northwood for their continued support of education in the community. A special thanks goes to our Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Barry Clough, and to his Assistant, Mr. Bernard Davis, for their guidance and help over the past year. And finally, I wish to thank the Northwood School Board members who have worked diligently to supply quality education for the youngsters of the Town of Northwood.

Yours very truly,

Thomas R. Conway
Principal

NORTHWOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

1977 GRADUATING CLASS

Caroline S. Bates
Chipman W. Belyea
Martin F. Blood
William W. Blood
Charles P. Boolba
Robert A. Brown
John F. Cassidy
Gary A. Colby
Dennis J. Collyer
Sheila Durkan
Bruce A. Fanjoy
Peter B. Gorczak, Jr.
Joseph M. Gunther
Lyn S. Hamel
Deborah I. Grant
Lori L. Hastings
Paul J. Hoogeveen
Melinda A. Josiah
Jeffrey S. Neal
Diana E. Post
Norman J. Reinhold
Patricia L. Sauls
Deanna L. Smith
James N. Stewart
Matthew G. Stidstone
Lisa B. Simpson
Heather A. Thurber
Christine M. Tremblay
Michael F. Warren, Jr.
Kellie G. Wentworth
Deborah A. Wilson
Cathy N. Yeazitzis

SCHOOL HEALTH REPORT 1976 - 1977

The health program for the year 1976 - 1977 was carried out in the usual manner with an annual physical inspection of each student by the nurse. When defects were noted the appropriate referral and follow-up were made.

Vision tests	351	Heights	348
Hearing tests	368	Weights	409
First Aid	427	Inspection	348
Home visits	20		

Ill students transported home by nurse	8
Students transported to doctors or clinics	12
Pre-school registration	33
Pre-school Vision and Hearing screening	57

The students received the benefit of preventative dental care through several worthwhile programs. Seven students received dental care through Northwood Matching Funds. This money is made available through the generosity of the local P.T.A. and Harvey Lake Women's Club. Dr. David Gruette, Northwood, was the participating dentist. Through the program sponsored by the N. H. Bureau of Dental Health, the students in Grade 4 participated in a daily dry brushing program. One hundred and sixteen students participated in a dental cleaning and fluoride clinic held in September and October. Mrs. Claire Sklarin and Mrs. Linda Sawyer were the hygienists.

IMMUNIZATIONS AND COMMUNICABLE DESEASES

Students immunized at Rural District Health Clinic	- 10
Flu vaccine (Grade 1)	- 25
Strep throat cultures - 231 (72 positive)	
Chicken Pox	- 4
Measles	- 7
Impetigo	- 2

In September the School Board agreed to let me organize a committee of townspeople, teachers, clergy, parents and interested persons, to explore the possibility of implementing a family living program in school. This committee met once a month and in June the chosen curriculum was approved by the P.T.A. and School Board.

During the school year I made weekly visits to Levels 1 - 5. Health related lessons and activities were planned and carried out. The 6th grade completed a Red Cross Basic First Aid Course. As part of V.D. Education for the 7th and 8th grade students, lectures, movies, film-strips and discussion periods were planned and carried out.

During the school year I attended the following workshops: Child Abuse, Drug Education, Teacher Liability, Choking and Obstruction of Airway, Sudden Infant Death Syndrome.

I would like to express my thanks to the Superintendent, School Board members, teachers and parents for their cooperation and support during the past year.

Carline Kallgren, R.N.
School Nurse

PROPOSED SCHOOL CALENDAR

1978 - 1979

September	18 days	February	15 days
October	21 days	March	22 days
November	20 days	April	16 days
December	14 days	May	22 days
January	21 days	June	11 days
September - January	94 days	February - June	86 days

DAYS OUT

October 9	Columbus Day	February 19 thru 23	Winter Vacation
November 23,24	Thanksgiving Recess	April 23 thru 27	Spring Vacation
December 21 thru January 2	Christmas Vacation	May 30	Memorial Day

VITAL

STATISTICS

For the Year 1977

Births Recorded in Town of Northwood, N. H. for Year Ending December 31, 1977

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Father	Mother's Maiden Name
Late Recordings for 1976 - Recorded in January and February, 1977				
Oct. 7, 1976	Concord, N.H.	Shannon Lea Cofferen	Edward Leon Cofferen	Karen Darlene Johnson
Dec. 19, 1976	Concord, N.H.	Justin Adam Burckhartte	Robert Burckhartte	Susan Mae Thompson
Recorded in 1977				
Jan. 7, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Melanie Lynn Cammett	Bruce Allen Cammett	Linda Jane Allen
Jan. 11, 1977	Exeter, N.H.	Jennifer Lynn LaShomb	Edward William LaShomb	Colleen Norma Niemi
Feb. 24, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Philip Michael Hayes	William Joseph Hayes	Andrea Elizabeth Nicholson
Mar. 2, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Jackie Doris O'Connor	James Robert O'Connor	Charlotte Ann Marston
Mar. 2, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Matthew Edward Marston	Arthur William Marston	Pauline Bertha Marquis
Mar. 14, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Steven Andrew Colburn	James Sanford Colburn	Betsy Ann Lane
Mar. 22, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Sierra Bailey	Stephen Alden Bailey	Sheryl Ann Weitz
Mar. 24, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Ashley Ann Shepherd	Louis Norris Shepherd	Cheryl Ann Tredinick
Mar. 24, 1977	Exeter, N.H.	Jonathan David Barker	Michael David Barker	Judith Ann Joyce
April 25, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Harmony Jean Newman	John Patrick Newman	Frances Jean Barton
April 25, 1977	Exeter, N.H.	Marion Theresa Brown	Joseph Louis Brown	Darlene Faye Bickford
June 15, 1977	Exeter, N.H.	Joshua Samuel Cofferen	Arthur Frederick Cofferen, Jr.	Doreen Catherine Lindahl
Aug. 17, 1977	Exeter, N.H.	Ginger Sunshine Muriel Elaine McVicar	Robert James McVicar	Jane Emily Ness
Aug. 21, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Amy Florence Schwab	Dennis Richmond Schwab	Rosalie Ann Brooks
Sept. 26, 1977	Manchester, N.H.	Thomas Myles Mahoney	Peter Myles Mahoney	Linda Marie Croteau
Sept. 30, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Kathryn Robin Wiley	Robert Lynn Magruder Wiley, Jr.	Louise Margaret Martell
Oct. 2, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Marc Joseph Lacasse	Ghislain Joseph Alcide Lacasse	Pauline Lucille Beaule

Oct. 2, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Carrie Ann Bunnell	Bruce Veldon Bunnell	Debra Helene Dionne
Oct. 11, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Jason Henry Hodgdon	Gary Fuller Hodgdon	Cheryl Ann Valley
Oct. 23, 1977	Exeter, N.H.	Lee Mahlon Burtt	Peter Edward Burtt	Sara Jane Woodward
Nov. 7, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Elijah Edward Gross	Dennis Arthur Gross	Mary Louise Gauntt
Nov. 8, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Steven James Pease	Richard Earl Pease	Kathleen Maureen O'Neill
Nov. 14, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Rachel Joy Everswick	William Paul Everswick	Christen Masten
Nov. 26, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Lauriel Jane LaRoche	Robert Joseph LaRoche	Linda Dallas Gibb
Nov. 28, 1977	Concord, N.H.	Elizabeth Sarah Barnes	James Roger Barnes	Lynda Ann Pike

Marriages Recorded in Town of Northwood, N. H. for Year Ending December 31, 1977

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name of Groom and Bride	Residence at Time of Marriage	Father's Name and Mother's Maiden Name	By Whom Married
Jan. 8	Northwood, N.H.	Jeff Mark Tasker	Northwood, N.H.	Elmer D. Tasker Edith Taylor	Rev. Thomas N.
		Diane Carol Allen	Northwood, N.H.	John E. Allen Shirley Jean Bousquet	
Jan. 21	Northwood, N.H.	Jean Leighton Stimmell	Northwood, N.H.	John H. Stimmell Elizabeth Leighton	Christopher Drew
		Judy Juanita Buzzell	Barnstead, N.H.	Donald Jenkins Hilda Anne Nichols	
Jan. 27	Northwood, N.H.	Patrick Edward Riley	Natick, Mass.	Francis E. Riley Vivian Morse	Rev. Thomas N. Rice
		Margaret Lofgren Lane	Northwood, N.H.	Andrew John Lane Jean Whitcomb	
Feb. 19	E. Rochester, N.H.	Richard Wayne Sargent	Dover, N.H.	Raymond B. Sargent Luthia La Foe	Robert E. Bell
		Roberta Pauline Keefe	Northwood, N.H.	William J. Keefe Cecelia Cunningham	
March 3	Northwood, N.H.	Robert Wilfred Boucher	Northwood, N.H.	Wilfred L. Boucher Marie Bartsch	Ronald J. Nowe
		Audrey Jean Shepard	Northwood, N.H.	Ivan C. Reed Mary A. Marshall	
March 19	Portsmouth, N.H.	Alan G. Benedict	Northwood, N.H.	Alan G. Benedict, Jr. Barbara Morgan Gore	James C. Hurst
		Brenda J. Brown	Northwood, N.H.	Stanley Brown Joanne A. Russell	
March 25	Northwood, N.H.	Arthur F. Cofferen, Jr.	Northwood, N.H.	Arthur F. Cofferen, Sr. Muriel Wallace	Rev. Thomas N. Rice
		Doreen C. Lindahl	Northwood, N.H.	David Lindahl Jacqueline Goudreau	

April 1	Northwood, N.H.	Bruce Veldon Bunnell	Northwood, N.H.	Veldon Bunnell Euleta Fernald	Rev. Jean A. Tremblay
		Debra Helene Dionne	Northwood, N.H.	Richard Auguste Dionne Rita Cecila Le Blanc	
April 16	Deerfield, N.H.	Gregory Alan Bennett	Northwood, N.H.	James Robert Bennett Doris Delauder	Rev. Frederick A. Champion
		Miriam Leslie Hewett	Deerfield, N.H.	Herbert Hewett Carol Fisher	
May 1	Northwood, N.H.	Charles Henry Chesley III	Northwood, N.H.	Charles H. Chesley Jacqueline Ann Knox	Rev. Thomas N. Rice
		Brenda Jean Hayes	Northwood, N.H.	Burton Truman Hayes Ida Mae Hanson	
June 12	Northwood, N.H.	Everett Newell Chamberlain	Brimfield, Mass.	Stanley G. Chamberlain Esther Nice	Raymond A. Fenner
		Randi S. Fegley	Pittsfield, N.H.	Edward Sontum Margaret Riekeles	
June 18	Northwood, N.H.	Winslow Carr	Nottingham, N.H.	George Carr Rose Mitchel	Rev. Thomas N. Rice
		Barbara Anne Olmstead	Northwood, N.H.	Ronald W. Olmstead Beatrice Wood	
June 18	Northwood, N.H.	Leo Croisetiere	Somersworth, N.H.	Louis Paul Croisetiere Sophie Sarlanis	Rev. Robert F. Cole R.C.
		Ruthann Stevens	Deerfield, N.H.	Ernest F. Stevens Rita A. M. Bolduc	
June 18	Northwood, N.H.	Richard H. Hastings	Northwood, N.H.	Noel Hastings Judy L. Blossom	Rev. Thomas N. Rice
		Pamela J. Maloney	Northwood, N.H.	John M. Maloney Barbara Bouton	
June 25	Northwood, N.H.	Stephen Paul Bedard	Northwood, N.H.	Paul N. Bedard Laura Macioce	Rev. Thomas N. Rice
		Elizabeth Ann Johnson	Northwood, N.H.	Frederick W. Johnson Ethel G. Ramsdell	

July 2	Northwood, N.H.	Morris E. Bennett	San Jose, Calif.	Edwin Bennett Etta Witham	Rev. Jerome C. Witham
		Cecile Marie Cieri	San Jose, Calif.	Peter Joseph Korkus Vera Cecile Bluth	
July 9	Candia, N.H.	Elmer B. Garvin	Northwood, N.H.	Obille Garvin Ethel Luskin	William G. Happny
		Vivian A. Downing McFarland	Raymond, N.H.	Archie V. Downing Evelyn L. Jones	
Aug. 13	Northwood, N.H.	David F. Aseltine	Lansing, Mich.	Elmer R. Aseltine Grace L. Bergman	Rev. Keith C. Irvine
		Sally Ann Johnson	Northwood, N.H.	Samuel Johnson, Jr. Arlene Whittemore	
Aug. 21	Center Ossipee, N.H.	Lawrence E. Corliss	Northwood, N.H.	Warren E. Corliss Edith A. Rosenquist	Rev. Susan B. Hoffman
		Nancy J. Hodgkins	Gloucester, Mass.	Walter Ernst Agnes May	
Sept. 24	Northwood, N.H.	Peter P. Giera	Epping, N.H.	Steve H. Giera Joan M. McGeoghan	Rev. Jean A. Tremblay
		Julie A. Baker	Pittsfield, N.H.	William J. Baker Margaret A. McDonald	
Oct. 7	Bedford, N.H.	Charlie E. Bennett	Northwood, N.H.	Normand E. Bennett Carole Kelley	James Scotland, Jr.
		Kathy A. Klop	Bedford, N.H.	John A. Klop Frances Lavoie	
Oct. 15	Northwood, N.H.	Allen Richard Daigle	Deerfield, N.H.	Hercules H. Daigle Edna Fraser	Rev. Thomas N. Rice
		Judy Ann Johnston	Northwood, N.H.	Richard H. Johnston Phyllis M. Scott	
Dec. 10	Northwood, N.H.	Cecil Winifred Temple	Northwood, N.H.	F. Willis Temple Belle M. Bates	Rev. Everett E. Pender
		Dorothy L. Pillsbury	Porter, Maine	Nathaniel P. Burnell Elizabeth J. Libby	

Dec. 10	Northwood, N.H.	Christopher Robert Bowman	Northwood, N.H.	Patrick J. Bowman Margeret Hartigan	Rev. Jean A. Tremblay
		Helen Agnes Priest	Northwood, N.H.	Cyril Lawton Archabelle Dallachie	
Dec. 10	Northwood, N.H.	Jay A. Nault	Northwood, N.H.	Jay A. Nault Winifred L. Love	Rev. Jean A. Tremblay
		Kelley K. Gauntt	Northwood, N.H.	George B. Gauntt Louise A. Quimby	

Deaths Recorded in Town of Northwood, N.H. for Year Ending December 31, 1977

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name or Surname of Deceased	Age	Place of Birth	Father's Name	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 17	Brentwood, N.H.	Marjorie Perry	77	Information obtained from Burial Permit Buried April 19,1977 Pine Grove Cemetery Lot #45		
Jan. 27	Brentwood, N.H.	Ethel Strange	88	Unknown	----Darlington	Cannot be learned
Feb. 1	Lafayette, La.	Lester T. Tripp	70	Information obtained from Burial Permit Buried April 15, 1977, Fairview Cemetery Lot #24 south		
Feb. 16	Dover, N.H.	Eva Thompson	96	Information obtained from Burial Permit		
Mar. 1	Rochester, N.H.	Demarise Lewis	63	Information obtained from Burial Permit		
Mar. 31	Goffstown, N.H.	William Piper	92	New Hampshire	Daniel Piper	Sarah Helen Woodfall
Apr. 17	Richmond, Va.	Lauria Jean Hunter	25	Information obtained from Burial Permit Buried April 21, 1977, Pine Grove Cemetery Lot #191		
May 11	Concord, N.H.	Alf Andersen	75	Norway	Jens Andersen	Marie Gunnersen
May 19	Epsom, N.H.	Thomas H. Veinote	91	Canada	James Veinote	Cylia Tenny
May 31	Wolfeboro, N.H.	Ray Gates Smith	79	Information obtained from Burial Permit Buried in Northwood Ridge Cemetery		
July 11	Northwood, N.H.	Denis A. Champagne	32	Allenstown, N.H.	Camille Champagne	Loretta Greave
July 16	Northwood, N.H.	Albert G. Huckins	52	Manchester, N.H.	Walter B. Huckins	Ruth Sanders
July 22	Concord, N.H.	Donald Whitney	65	Maine	Charles L. Whitney	Fannie E. Donaldson
July 25	Northwood, N.H.	Dana R. Lewis Smith	20	Manchester, N.H.	Richard Dana Smith	Marjorie Cass
Sept. 7	Northwood, N.H.	Anna Christina White	96	Minn.	Charles J. Sudheimer	Anna C. Simmons
Sept. 11	Northwood, N.H.	Peter J. Gove	19	Mass.	Kenneth L. Gove Jr.	Frances Clark
Sept. 16	Concord, N.H.	Addie M. Hicks	95	New Hampshire	Charles L. Pinkham	Ellen M. Varney
Oct. 2	Northwood, N.H.	Mabel V. Tuttle	69	New Hampshire	Harry L. Linscott	Georgianna Garland
Oct. 5	Concord, N.H.	Shurldin G. Smith	70	Gilmanton, N.H.	George A. Smith	Annie Lorrie
Nov. 29	Rochester, N.H.	Roxanna E. Richardson	85	New Hampshire	Charles W. F. Spiller	Flora Maria Perry
Dec. 22	Concord, N.H.	John P. Beauchain	62	Tinmouth, Vt.	Philip Beauchain	Marguerite Bailey